

Fire Department Wants Over Three Quarters of a Million

ALLEGED LIQUOR DEALERS AND POLICE IN GUN BATTLE

Men Who Fired on Federal Prohibition Officers at Salisbury Beach Are Arraigned Here Before U. S. Commissioner Walsh—Two Injured in Battle

After a pistol battle in which one of their number and a federal prohibition agent were hurt, the latter slightly, six men were arrested at Salisbury Beach in an early morning liquor seizure today. They were brought to Lowell, under charges of prohibition law violation.

Arraigned at noon before U. S. Commissioner Richard Lindbrook Walsh at the Gorham street court-house here were William Lamper, Thomas Leary, Samuel Elbing and John Horgan. Sullivan and Hall were in Newburyport this noon co-operating with the police there in investigating also run-running in the vicinity.

Since the recent appointment of Agent Sullivan to supervising agent for the Massachusetts district, he has spent the greater part of his time in the vicinity of the beach in an effort to halt run-running in that section. Salisbury beach has had more or less of a reputation as an easy place to get it and two arrests of Lawrence men operating hotels there were made last week by Sullivan and Hall, working in conjunction with dry agents from the Lowell district.

Such has been assigned to clear up the Salisbury beach tangle and the arrests of early today show the first step in this direction. The two Lawrence men arrested at the summer hotels both secured continuances when arraigned here and their cases will come up on the same day as that of the alleged run-runners. Whether there is any connection between the cases Agent Sullivan today declined to say.

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Appropriation Estimates Already Made Up Total Half Million Dollars Greater Than 1923 Expenditures

Schedule of Budget Figures Already Submitted to Auditor

	1923	1924
Assessors	27,129.00	24,845.29
Auditorium	29,410.65	55,878.24
Budget Commission	1,650.00	1,650.00
Chelmsford Street Hospital	131,153.99	127,423.93
Mothers W. D. P.	96,601.43	101,391.66
Outdoor Relief	69,042.41	68,044.34
City Clerk	12,695.00	13,000.00
City Hall	28,451.94	29,188.33
Messenger	2,061.77	2,075.00
Weigher	1,449.46	1,450.00
Elections	30,816.12	44,646.00
Employment Bureau	1,800.00	2,000.00
*Engineering	25,860.50	13,500.00
Fire	395,784.83	784,025.49
Moths	8,931.10	8,931.10
Parks	73,660.59	94,173.26
Public Service Board	3,500.00	3,500.00
Planning Board	791.21	6,000.00
Police	336,455.82	383,440.96
Purchasing Agent	9,448.41	11,780.12
Sealer	8,197.83	10,196.50
Library	32,625.56	35,900.00
Smoke Inspector	500.00	500.00
Soldiers' Relief	35,824.23	45,997.00
Wires	4,261.58	4,810.67

*Plus receipts.

FIRE CHIEF BLAZES THE WAY

Asks for \$784,000 for Department in 1924, Including New Alarm System

Provisions Are Made for 86 Day for Fire Privates and 151 Patrolmen

Of Estimates Now at Hand Only Two Are Lower Than 1923 Expenditures

Appropriation estimates for 1924 already submitted to the city auditor total more than half a million dollars greater than 1923 expenditures and several of the large departments have yet to file their estimate sheets. That the grand total will be in the neighborhood of \$784,000 more than was spent last year is a probability of such definiteness that it almost becomes a acknowledged fact.

The budget and audit commission

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Mayor Satisfied With Present Salary

THINKS \$5000 ENOUGH

Mayor John J. Donovan Opposes Bill Which Would Allow Him to Get \$10,000

Declaring he is perfectly satisfied with his present salary of \$5000 and would oppose any increase if made possible by legislative act, Mayor John J. Donovan today made forcible expression of his views relating to the bill proposed by the city of Waltham, making it possible for chief executives in cities working under the Plan B form of charter to secure a salary of \$10,000 per year.

"I am perfectly satisfied with my present salary," said the mayor, "and am not interested in the bill filed in the legislature, which, if passed, would give Plan B mayors an opportunity to receive \$10,000 a year in salary. In fact, if the matter were put up to me, I would oppose it. The first knowledge I had of the bill was when I read it in the newspapers yesterday. I do not approve of such a bill."

Under Plan B form of charter the salary of the mayor cannot be more than \$5000 a year.



MAYOR JOHN J. DONOVAN

REVOLUTION NEAR END

Eighth Week Finds Federalists in Exceedingly Advantageous Position in Mexico

Bright Prospects That "Backbone of Revolution Will Shortly Be Broken"

CONVICTION IS SET ASIDE

U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals Hands Down Important Decision in Liquor Case

Searches of Private Homes by Dry Agents Without Warrants Are Illegal

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 24. By radio, via the Fort Star-Telegram—By the Associated Press—The Oregon administration at the beginning of the eighth week of revolutionary hostilities, finds itself in an "exceedingly advantageous" position, with bright prospects that the "backbone of the revolution will shortly be broken."

MACHINES SMASHED BUT NOBODY INJURED

William W. Russell of 20 Highland avenue, narrowly escaped serious injury this morning when his machine was in collision with a Ford truck at the corner of Andover and Smith streets. Mr. Russell was operating an Overland sedan and was proceeding north on Smith street toward the city.

Three of the five men arrested yesterday as they drove a light-colored motor truck through Bedford village, were identified today by William Sanson, superintendent of the E. H. Mayor estate at Stockbridge, Mass., as members of a gang that carried off the Meyer liquor stocks early yesterday morning.

TO PRESENT REQUESTS FOR WAGE INCREASE

Several groups of employees of departments coming under the control of the board of public service will appear before the board at 2:30 o'clock today to make formal presentation of requests for wage increases. The various groups, comprising water, sewer, street inspectors and carpenters, are among those who will seek more pay.

The board will hold a regular meeting after the hearings and may take action upon the approval of budget requests for 1924.

RUSS PROVE FATAL
Sgt. W. J. 21 Stanislaw, 45, 100 W. Main street, died this morning of a heart ailment. He was a member of the 101st Infantry, 26th Division, and was discharged from the service in 1918.

THREE IDENTIFIED IN MAYER LIQUOR THEFT

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Jan. 24.—Three of the five men arrested yesterday as they drove a light-colored motor truck through Bedford village, were identified today by William Sanson, superintendent of the E. H. Mayor estate at Stockbridge, Mass., as members of a gang that carried off the Meyer liquor stocks early yesterday morning.

Sanson picked the men out of a line of prisoners at the county jail. They gave their names as George Brew, Thomas Edley and John Malley of New York. The other men arrested on the truck but not recognized by Sanson are Michael Duffy of New York and Robert Layman of Red Bank, N. J.

EXPERTS TO CONDUCT HEARINGS IN BERLIN

PARIS, Jan. 24. The experts inquiring into Germany's financial and economic condition continued today preparations for the hearings in Berlin, whether they are going Monday, probably by special train as the committee and their staffs of experts, secretaries, stenographers, and attendants number more than 100.

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE VISITS LOCAL TEXTILE MILLS

Labor and Industrial Committee Members Seek First Hand Information Relative to Questions Covering Schedule of Hours—Solons Visit Corporation Hospital

Lowell's perplexing textile industrial situation as it presents itself today, with curtailed manufacturing activities in some directions and consequent lessened employment for the city's army of men and women wage-earners, underwent a very brief, cursory survey this morning during a period of less than three hours, by the full membership of the joint state legislative labor and industrial committee from Boston Hill.

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REBELS YIELD TO U. S. PROTEST

De La Huerta Orders Removal of Mines and Other Obstructions From Harbors

Oregon Representatives Drop Negotiations for Purchase of U. S. War Vessels

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—Although no legal barrier exists against the sale to Mexico by private citizens of war vessels disposed of by the United States government prior to the Washington arms conference, the Oregon representatives in this country are expected to drop negotiations for such purchases because of the feeling of administration officials that the transactions would violate the spirit if not the letter of American treaty obligations.

A number of vessels suitable for use by the Mexican government against the United States are being held in the United States navy yard at Philadelphia.

APPLICANTS MUST SHOW REFERENCES

Hereafter all applicants for enlistment in the navy will be required to show two references at the time of application. Chief Waterkeeper Ray Feinberg, local recruiting officer, announced this morning. The decision was reached the first part of the week by the navy department in view of the fact that for several weeks the complement of 85,000 men allowed by the congressional appropriation has been exceeded by about 1000 men. The quality of the recruits has been such that only the highest quality of new men be shipped from now on, and therefore the recruiting office is tightening up and demanding that each applicant show the ability to get and keep a job and the evidences of good character.

Meeting
HOD CARRIERS' UNION
FRIDAY NIGHT (Tomorrow)
At Rooms
MARTIN GOLDEN
132 Concord St.

RENEW ATTACKS ON PRES. LEWIS

Insurgents Within Ranks of United Mine Workers of America Continue Fight

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 24 (by the Associated Press).—Insurgents within the ranks of the United Mine Workers of America renewed their attacks on President John L. Lewis when the biennial convention was reconvened today and the credentials committee reported in favor of unseating Joseph C. Glavin of local union No. 5216 in the coke field of District No. 4 (Pennsylvania). The charge was made by the committee by William Feeney, secretary-treasurer of the district, that Glavin is an officer in a "dual organization—the Progressive Mine Workers."

Amid considerable confusion, three standing orders were taken on the committee's report to unseat Glavin and after the third President Lewis declared the report adopted 584 to 229.

Opponents of the administration renewed their cries of yesterday of "railroading," "steam roller" and "big rule." Insurgent leaders said the first rule membership in an organization such as the progressive mine workers' committee constituted grounds for expulsion from the United Mine Workers of America was yesterday when it became known that Thomas M. McCreesh had been expelled from local No. 1195, of the Pittsburgh district for his activities in connection with the International progressive mine workers' committee. McCreesh has an appeal from his expulsion pending before the committee on appeals and grievances.

NOTICE TO AUTOMOBILE DEALERS

Mahoney's Garage
The fire has not interfered with our business. We are open and ready to give service.

ANOTHER DRIVE BY GEN. BUTLER

New Offensive is Against All Forms of Graft in His Own Department

Officers Who Demand Tribute or Accept Rewards Will Be Removed

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 24.—Brig. Gen. Butler, director of public safety, started another drive today, this time against all forms of graft in his own department.

Detectives and policemen who have been in the habit of demanding tribute or accepting money for returning stolen property to its owners, or who have benefited through other forms of petty graft, will be forced out of the service. If they continue the practice, Director Butler declared, insurance companies will be notified today that in the future, policemen would not be permitted to accept rewards for the recovery of stolen automobiles.

"Insurance companies will not be expected to pay and the officers of this department will not be permitted to receive any rewards for the recovery of stolen automobiles or any other property," he told the companies.

SPECIAL MEETING OF COUNCIL MONDAY

A special meeting of the city council has been called for next Monday at 8 p. m. for the purpose of drawing six jurors for criminal superior court duty and to act upon the annual temporary authorization.

Basketball and Dance
At St. Anne's Parish Hall
TONIGHT
ST. ANNE'S A. C. M. M. M.
Dance After Game
8:15 p. m.
ADMISSION FREE, 35 CENTS

LOWELL ARMENIANS TO AID NEAR EAST

Armenian merchants and citizens residing in New England cities are forming a working branch of the Near East Relief Association for the purpose of channeling the work of securing and securing more subscriptions of food, clothing, and money for the relief of homeless refugees. Lowell Armenians have been asked to assist in this campaign and the local response on the part of Armenian merchants and citizens-at-large, has been highly satisfactory.

The New England headquarters of the Near East Relief are located at the Little Building, Boston, which is a branch of the newly organized national committee of Armenians which aims to bring about a close association of their national and the relief organization and to further encourage and refugee work in the Levant.

Mihrahan P. Kakhadjian, national secretary, is campaigning for the cause in New England and is to visit Lowell soon, when a rally of Armenian men and women will be held in Armenian residents' hall. Mr. Kakhadjian has spoken in other New England cities and various parts of the country outside this territory, and fields that various committees of newly-appointed are already working closely with the national committee, of which the Rt. Rev. Bishop Tirayre is honorary chairman, Rev. Raphael Bedrosian honorary vice chairman, and Mihrahan Kakhadjian chairman.

All New England Armenians have received invitations to attend a "Gleaner for Near East Relief day" to be held Sunday, March 30, at which speakers of national prominence will denounce the Turkish atrocities and all denunciations.

The officers of the Armenian headquarters who have full Lowell support in their new campaign in which local natives of Armenian ancestry are joining in this, are as follows:

M. H. Kakhadjian, chairman; Dr. M. Hachopian, vice president; Sarkis J. Charkian, treasurer; and Rev. Aram T. Badalian, secretary.

Advertisers who use The Sun consistently get greater returns on the money invested than through any other Lowell newspaper. There's a reason. The Sun goes into more homes in Lowell and suburbs than any other Lowell paper and ninety per cent of Sun readers read no other Lowell newspaper.

GAS

Feel sort of "balloony" after eating? Stomach gas is a dangerous sign of impaired digestion and fermentation of food. It cramps the heart and poisons the lungs. Break it up with **Jaques' Capsules**. One or two with swallow of water drive gas away quickly, rid body of waste, set digestion right. Quick relief from indigestion, biliousness, constipation. Only 60 cents for a 12 days' supply. At all druggists or from

JACQUES CAPSULE CO., PLATTSBURG, N.Y.

JACQUES CAPSULES

Feels Better than Ever, He Says

Suffering From Stomach, Liver and Kidneys Departs on Taking Drego

James A. Burbank, 172 Laurence Ave., Lowell, Mass., says:

"My how I felt. Stomach had me in its grip and was me down until I was but a shadow of my former self. I ate and drank and then I found that I had had my stomach and liver and kidneys in a bad way. I was nervous, I became nervous. So nervous that I couldn't sleep. I would go to bed tired and get up more tired.

"Constipation had got a system in its grip. I felt bloated and stiff. Often I would have to get up at night. My kidneys caused terrible pains across the small of my back and I would have to get up several times every night."

"The medicines that I tried failed to do me a bit of good. Then Drego came to my rescue. This wonderful remedy quickly put me on my feet in good shape. I now feel fine. I am stronger and have more energy. I can eat everything without suffering afterwards. And most of all I look a hundred percent better. All my thanks to Drego. It is the best of them all. And I hope that every man and woman will benefit by my experience and let Drego be made from the pure, unadulterated juices of 12 remarkable plants, roots, barks and leaves. Scientifically blended by the David H. Fulton Co., Laboratories of Baltimore, they act directly on the stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels and blood, and lead to better circulation, head-aches, rheumatism, heart, biliousness, dizzy spells, heart, interfering gas on stomach and other troubles.

Drego is being specially introduced by Green's Drug Store, and sold by druggists everywhere. Adv.



WHAT IS THIS DRY LAW?

Long before the eighteenth amendment went on our statutes, it was illegal to furnish an Indian liquor. Neither law applies in Paris, where they sip their beer at a boulevard cafe and have no objection to sign.



by Dr. C.C. Robinson

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AVOIDING INFLUENZA

According to latest reports no epidemic of influenza is so far scheduled for appearance this winter.

This acute infectious disease in practically all cases involves the respiratory tract, gastro-intestinal canal and in many persons the nervous system, together with a weakened heart and reduced circulation. It is also met with endemically in certain localities (or peculiar to some classes of people). One must constantly be on guard to stall off influenza during the germ season (winter and early spring).

To escape its devastating attack one should always avoid getting a chill, especially if one is not robust with

strong powers of endurance. Any undue exposure during severe weather, or going for hours with wet feet, should be avoided.

The gastro-intestinal tract must be carefully attended to, to avoid any chance of intestinal poisoning. If the digestive tract is kept in a healthy condition by sensible diet and plenty of good drinking water, thus avoiding attacks of constipation, one may be fairly immune. Swollen and inflamed tonsils and adenoid tissue, or poisons from pus infection at the roots of teeth, may also weaken the system by poisoning the life stream.

Your condition of resistance should be constantly kept in mind to avoid influenza. Worry and nervous troubles lower your vital powers and weaken the endocrine system.

Beware of the least appearance of sore throat or a beginning dull headache. Don't let any such condition go for even an hour if you can possibly prevent it.

Be sure you get the full required time of sleep. Don't overwork your heart.

The weakened heart spoils nervous ailments. These may seriously affect the kidneys and cause depression of the glandular system.

COLLEGES GIVE COURSES IN REAL ESTATE

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—The growing importance of real estate as a vocation is evidenced in the establishment of real estate courses and curriculums in leading universities and colleges, many of them pointed toward degrees, declares the National Association of Real Estate Boards here, which has just completed a survey.

"Columbia university, which already is offering many of the courses in the suggested real estate curriculum, expects to put on the two-year course," officials said. "The University of Wisconsin, the University of Chicago, and The University of Illinois have become actively interested in real estate education, and The University of Michigan is planning to put on the course as soon as possible.

"Northwestern university, through Dean Ralph E. Hedman, representative of the American Collegiate association on the joint committee of educators, economic research specialists and realtors, who are working out the

At home or on the road
DR. CALDWELL'S SYRUP PEPsin
Keeps him in good health

Clogged-Up? Here's Quick Aid

NEVER mind what you are using now for constipation. For all you know there is a better remedy! The next time you are clogged up, try Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, a laxative successfully used for 30 years, the largest selling liquid laxative in the world. Mrs. John A. Goins of Butlerville, Ind., constipated all her life, her stomach injured from years of pill taking, is now functioning daily since taking Syrup Pepsin; and Mr. David O'Connor of Canton, Ohio, suffering steadily for three years, got relief after a few doses. The list of successful users of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is naturally large as over 10 million bottles are sold annually.

Formula on Every Package

Get yourself a bottle at a drug store, the cost being less than a cent a dose. Take a spoonful at bedtime for a few nights and we guarantee that the most chronic constipation will be relieved, or refund your money. A few doses in succession soon train the stomach muscles to act for themselves. Many, however, take it once

a week and in that way keep the bowels regularly open. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, unlike harsh physics such as calomel, "candy cathartics," salt waters and powders, is a simple vegetable laxative composed of Egyptian senna and pepsin with tasty aromatics which are entirely harmless.

This Remedy Guaranteed

It has been accurately proven that a constipated person is only 75 per cent efficient. It slows you up; makes you dull and lazy. Take Syrup Pepsin the first day you do not have complete bowel movement. Take it, guaranteed, for constipation, torpid liver, dyspepsia, biliousness, sour stomach, headache, lack of appetite. A spoonful at the first sneeze or enema will kill a cold overnight. Half the ailments of winter start with constipation followed by a cold.

---If You Want to Try It Free Before Buying---

"Syrup Pepsin," 517 Washington St., Monticello, Illinois.

I need good laxative and would like to prove what you say about Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin by actual test. Send me a free trial bottle. Address to

Name.....
Address.....
Not more than one free trial bottle to a family

whole outline of real estate education nationally, is at present working on a plan to include a full four-year course in real estate, leading to the regular academic degrees. Iowa State college has taken up the selection of instructors.

"The Atlanta School of Technology has adopted the full four years college course. Boston university offers real estate courses under the direction of the Boston real estate exchange. The University of Southern California and the University of California have actively undertaken this branch of vocational preparation, and the University of Missouri and the University of Oregon are accumulating material looking to the development of a four year course. The University of Indiana, The University of Arkansas and The College of William and Mary are planning the introduction of a real estate course. Creighton University, Omaha, and The Southern Methodist University, Dallas, Texas, have or-

ganized real estate courses." WITH CUT

TWO-DAY AUTO TRIP

Winning members of the 1923 Middlesex county extension service contests in junior department home work, who will be given a free two-day automobile trip to Massachusetts Agricultural college in July next, include the following young people from nearby towns: Adeline Pollock, Hilarion, Mass.; Charles, Carlisle; Marie Gauthier and Grace Paignon, Chemsford; Stanley Oronowski, Draught; Elsie Hicks, Tewksbury; Richard Lambert and Roy Ekstrom, Tyngsboro; Alice Heywood and Angie Proffit, Westford.

SEE THE POINT!

The Sun has by far the largest circulation of any Lowell paper. Ninety per cent of Sun readers do not read any other Lowell newspaper. See the point, Mr. Advertiser!

THE NEW DEMOCRATIC STORE OSTROFF'S BIG SALE WHERE YOU BOT THE OVERALLS

Winter Goods Must Be Sold. Cost of Goods Forgotten. We Must Make Room for Spring Goods That Will Arrive Shortly. Everything Must Be Turned Into Cash. Not a Dollars Worth of My Winter Stock Will I Carry Over For Next Year, if Low Prices Will Sell Them.

Sale Starts FRIDAY MORNING, Jan. 25th, at 9 a. m.

Here Are Samples of Some of the Extraordinary Bargains Offered at This Sale.

Flannelette Shirts, in gray and khaki; \$1.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 75c	Heavy Fleece Lined Underwear; \$1.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 50c	Medium Weight Work Hose; 15c value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 5c Limited, only 3 pairs to a customer.	Heavy Gray Coat Sweaters, with shawl collars and two pockets; \$2.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... \$1.05	"Big Yank" Blue Chambray Work Shirts, two pockets; \$1.15 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 75c	"Sawyer's" Snuggler Beach Jackets, a jacket that is made of pure worsted, and is very closely woven; absolutely \$6.50 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... \$3.95
Sheepskin Lined Coats, 4 pockets, leather patched; \$12 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... \$7.95	"Congress" Heavy Blue Chambray and Khaki Twill Work Shirts; \$1.50 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... \$1.05	Imported Heather Hose, made in England. Clean-up Sale Price, pair 35c 3 Pairs for \$1.00	Heavy Slip-on Sweaters, in navy and brown, with shawl collars; \$1.75 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 95c	"Congress" Flannelette Shirts, in gray and khaki; \$1.35 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 95c	Heather Worsted Coat Sweaters, with shawl collars and two pockets; \$3.50 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... \$1.95
Extra Heavy Horsehide Mittens, sheepskin lined; \$3.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... \$1.95	Men's "Congress" Extra Heavy Cheviot Dress Shirts, warranted fast color; \$2.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 2 for \$2.00	Heavy Ribbed Underwear; \$1.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 65c	Ladies' Brocade Bandeaux, large sizes only; 33c value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 12c	Ladies' Flannelette Petticoats; 75c value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 50c	Children's Angora Hats with quills; \$2.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 75c
Men's "Congress" Very Fine Dress Shirts, warranted fast color; \$2.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... \$1.35	Men's Fine Percale Dress Shirts; \$1.25 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 95c	"Jack Rabbit" Heavy Drill Black and White Striped Work Shirts; \$1.25 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 75c	Ladies' Pantaleone Bloomers, in flannel and sateen, in all the newest shades; \$1.50 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 98c	Ladies' Extra Heavy Vests; 98c value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 50c	Children's Serge Dresses; \$2.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 98c
Men's Fine Silk Striped Dress Shirts; \$3.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... \$2.15	Sheepskin Lined Coats..... \$5.75 and Up	"Brown's" Genuine Beach Jackets; \$5.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... \$4.15	Ladies' Woolen Gloves; 50c value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 25c	Ladies' Heavy Fleece Lined Bloomers; 75c value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 50c	Boys' Tweed Suits, Oliver Twist style; \$3.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... \$1.95
Ladies' Woolen Hose; 15c value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 45c	Ladies' Bungalow Aprons; \$1.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 50c	"Brown's" Genuine Beach Vests; \$3.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... \$2.35	Ladies' Flannel Nightgowns, embroidered yokes; \$1.50 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 95c	One Lot of Children's Coats and Dresses, Ladies' Coats and Skirts—Will go for..... \$1.00	One Large Size Heavy Double Check Blanket, 60x74; \$4.50 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... \$2.50
Ladies' Pure Silk Full-fashioned Hose; \$2.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... \$1.23	Ladies' Flannelette Nightgowns; 80c value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 45c	Ladies' All Wool Ipswich Camel Hair Hose; \$2.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 95c	Ladies' Velvet Hats; \$3 and \$4 values. Clean-up Sale Price..... \$1.00	Children's Woolen Sport Socks; 25c value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 15c	Children's Extra Heavy Woolen Heather Hose; \$1.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 45c
Ladies' Pure Silk Full-fashioned Hose; \$2.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... \$1.23	Ladies' Flannelette Nightgowns; 80c value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 45c	Ladies' Pure Silk Full-fashioned Hose; \$2.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... \$1.23	Children's Velvet, Woolen and Felt Tams; \$1. \$2 and \$3 values. Will go for..... 50c		
Boys' Leather Fleece Lined Mittens; 75c value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 35c					

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BIG SHOW AT AUDITORIUM

Many Excellent and Attractive Features in "Follies and Frolics of 1924"

Costuming and lighting effects of unusual brilliancy will play no little part in the presentation of the "Follies and Frolics of 1924" in the Auditorium on Friday evening. The Matthew Temperance Institute, in arranging for its annual show, has felt that "Decker" Thornton's splendid musical extravaganza should be given the best setting possible, and with this end in view has directed the costumer and the electrician to do the limit. The "Follies and Frolics" program has been described, since its publication last week, as the snappiest production. Every song number listed on the program is offered in a local production of the sort everyone is anxious to hear, and the singers are decidedly worth while listening to. The dancing specialties, both individual and group dances, cover all



LITTLE MAY CONWAY
in Dance Specialty

of the most attractive branches of the theatrical art, and "Decker" Thornton's shows are considered particularly strong in this department. The splendid specialties are unquestionably the best obtainable in the amateur ranks and are one and all deservedly popular.

At the final rehearsal the program is showing a finish that is causing the director a great deal of satisfaction. Each member of the large cast has acquired a poise and skill that is very creditable to an amateur performer. With the brilliant costuming and capable leadership which will be at their disposal Friday evening the young entertainers may be relied on to carry out Director Thornton's cleverly conceived plans in capital style.

The list of entertainers in the "Follies and Frolics" is hard to match in point of all-around excellence. Prominent among them are: Miss Dorothy Nolan, Mabel Hogan, Madeline McLaughlin, Sadie Sheehan, Alice Dacey, Miss Alice Brown, Angelo, Little Miss May Conway, Blunitive Andrew and Louise Carr, Misses Peggy and Blanche O'Reilly, Edward Donahue, John Hall, John Vogan, John Brady, Charles E. Keen, Charles Clancy, George Sullivan, Daniel Brennan, Thomas Murphy, J. Eugene Mullin, Al Drinn and Horatio B. Leggat. Every name in the list conveys the promise of high-class entertainment.

BILERICA BOARD OF REGISTRARS

Bilerica board of registrars will on Saturday next at town hall, from 12 noon to 10 p. m., conduct its final session for the listing of new voters who desire to participate in the coming town meeting. At Tuesday evening's session 17 new names were added to the voting list. Twenty-two women registered.

Candidates for town offices are to submit their nomination papers to the board of registrars before 5 o'clock tomorrow evening at the town hall. Town meeting day comes on Feb. 9.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION
The annual first grade or clerical examination will be held in this city March 8 according to an announcement made today by the United States Civil Service Commission. The examination for bookkeepers will also be held on the same day. These examinations are for positions in the customs, revenue and other federal service in New England. Application blanks and information concerning these examinations may be had from the local secretary at the postoffice or from the district secretary, custom house, Boston. Applications should be filed as early as possible.

Says His Prescription Has Powerful Influence Over Rheumatism

Mr. James H. Allen suffered for years with rheumatism. Many times this terrible disease left him helpless and unable to work.

He finally decided, after years of ceaseless study, that no one can be free from rheumatism until the accumulated impurities, commonly called uric acid deposits, are dissolved in the joints and muscles and expelled from the body.

With this idea in mind he consulted physicians, made experiments and finally compounded a prescription that quickly and completely banished every sign and symptom of rheumatism from his system.

He freely gave his discovery, which he called Allenthu, to others who took it, with what might be called marvelous success. After years of urging he decided to let sufferers everywhere know about his discovery through the newspapers. He has therefore instructed A. W. Down and Co. to dispense Allenthu with the understanding that if the first pint bottle does not show the way to complete recovery they will gladly return your money without comment.—Adv.

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AND ECONOMY MEET

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\$3 MEN'S and YOUNG MEN'S WORK TROUSERS Mark-Down Sale Price \$1.69

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\$5 MEN'S Pencil Stripe, Cassimere and Worsted TROUSERS \$3.00

\$6.50 MEN'S All Wool DRESS TROUSERS Mark-Down Sale Price \$4.00

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\$20 Men's Sheered Lamb's Wool LINED COATS Heavy Mole Skin Shell \$12.50

\$75 MARMOT FUR LINED COATS Near Seal Collar Mark-down Sale Price..... \$39.50

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\$50 All Wool Plaid Back CUSTOM MADE OVERCOATS \$34.00

\$55 \$60 and \$65 High Grade Chinchilla OVERCOATS \$39.50

Men's and Young Men's SUITS

\$25 ALL WOOL PENCIL STRIPE SUITS Mark-Down Sale Price..... \$14.50

\$30 Men's and Young Men's All Wool SUITS Mark-Down Sale Price..... \$17.50

SPECIAL — \$35.00 All Wool Cassimere — Worsted and Blue Serge All Styles. SUITS \$20

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\$45 MEN'S CUSTOM TAILORED SUITS Mark-Down Sale Price..... \$29.50

\$50 MEN'S and YOUNG MEN'S SUITS Mark-Down Sale Price..... \$34.50

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\$12.50 BOYS' HIGH GRADE OVERCOATS Mark-Down Sale Price \$8.50 Sizes 4 to 10 Years.

\$15 BOYS' All Wool Worsted Lined OVERCOATS Sizes 10 to 18 Years Mark-Down Sale Price..... \$9.95

\$20 BOYS' ALL WOOL OVERCOATS Sizes 10 to 18 Years \$12.50

BOYS' SUITS

\$7.50 BOYS' ALL WOOL SUITS Full Lined Pants. Sizes 4 to 18 Years. Mark-Down Sale Price..... \$4.95

\$10 BOYS' ALL WOOL SUITS Full Lined "Knickers" Sizes 8 to 18 Years. Mark-Down Sale Price..... \$6.75

\$12.50 BOYS' ALL WOOL 2-PANTS SUITS Fancy Scotchies and Cassimeres. Sizes 8 to 18 Years. Mark-Down Sale Price..... \$7.95

\$18 BOYS' All Wool BLUE SERGE 2 PANTS SUITS Sizes 7 to 18 Years Mark-Down Sale Price..... \$10.50

\$20 BOYS' All Wool Custom Made HIGH GRADE SUITS Mark-Down Sale Price..... \$12.50

\$1.00 BOYS' HIGH GRADE PERCALE WAISTS 69c

\$1.50 BOYS' ALL WOOL KHAKI FLANNEL WAISTS 79c

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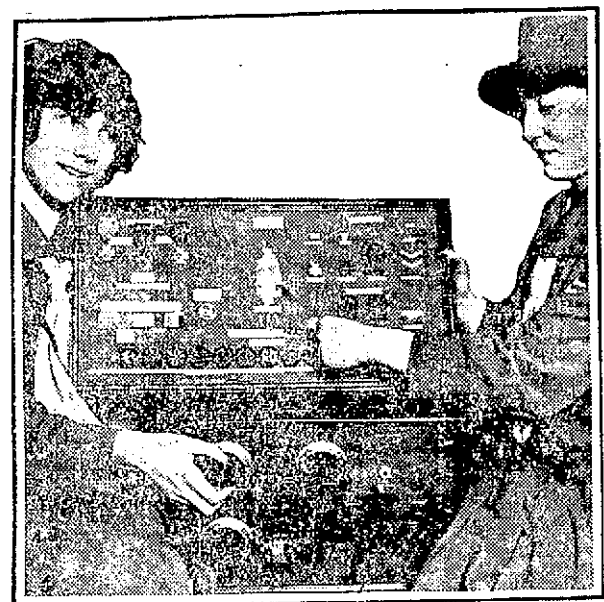
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Girl Scouts of Country Hold Record Club Meetings by "Listening In"



TWO GIRL SCOUTS ATTENDING A RADIO MEETING, HEARING A LECTURE ON NIGHT BADGES.

(By N.E.A. Service.)
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan. 24.—Honors for the greatest regular attendance at weekly club meetings of all organizations in the world, may safely be awarded to a new group of Girl Scouts.

They meet, 1000, of them—by radio. It is a new idea, originated by Laura R. Hixson, scout director here, who began giving out her instructions for such a "group" through broadcast station KDKA at East Pittsburgh, near here.

HAD HEADACHES AND BACKACHE

Mrs. Blair Knew That Thin Blood Caused Her Trouble and She Found the Remedy

Thin blood, or anemia, is the cause of much headache, backache and disorders of the digestion. These symptoms disappear when the blood is built up. Mrs. Joseph Blair, of No. 72 Chandler street, Worcester, Mass., in telling her experience with anemia says: "A number of years ago my health began to break down and each year found me in a worse condition. I was very thin, pale and frail. Very often I had headaches and a severe pain in my back. My sleep was restless and did not refresh me.

"I took a great number of blood tonic and knew that I must build up my system. Eventually, before I could get well. Finally, for Williams' Pink Pills, were brought to my attention by a friend and I decided to try them. The first box proved them the right tonic.

"My first good result was a decreased appetite, but I was able to eat more. I began to gain weight and my health improved. I feel like a new woman and give the credit to Williams' Pink Pills. I am always glad to see this remedy a great success."

Your own druggist can get you a box, containing two weeks' treatment of the Williams' Pink Pills for system building. If your blood is thin, or you are anemic, take Williams' Pink Pills. Write to Dr. Williams, Med. Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for the booklet, "Building Up the Blood." It will cost you nothing and may save your life.

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9:15 p. m. Program by the Bayan Ladies' club.
10:15 p. m. Widdall Hall.

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7 p. m. The Natural Equipment of the child, by Dr. Charles E. Bensen.
7:15 p. m. Recital by Mrs. John Dalton, soprano.
8 p. m. Carlyle Strunk, poems.
8:30 p. m. Closing market reports.
9 p. m. Children's stories.
9:15 p. m. The world's work.
9:30 p. m. Concert by the Scandhinavian.
9:45 p. m. Recital by Margaret Macnab, pianist.
10:30 p. m. Dance program by the Hotel Commodore orchestra.

AT THE NORMAL SCHOOL

Interesting Lecture on "The Old Phenology and the New Psychology"

A denial of the ability of phenologists, physiognomists and palmists to truthfully read character and an explanation of modern psychology were the features of an address given yesterday afternoon at the Normal school by Prof. Charles A. Coburn of the department of applied psychology of Boston university. Prof. Coburn's lecture was the second of a series on the general topic, "The Perils of the 'Predictions' and His Subject was 'The Old Phenology and the New Psychology.'"

Prof. Coburn first described his work at Boston university as teaching others how to know other people, not by feeling their "humps" or any other such slight-of-hand performance, but by modern psychology. This teaches a thorough knowledge of oneself before any attempt at the reading of another's character is made.

The history of psychology was briefly traced by him from the time when the first man began to wonder concerning his creation down to the present time. Aristotle, he said, was the first of the old philosophers to experiment with psychology. He told of the ways of belief in astrology, in the 14th, 15th and 16th centuries, when the people honestly believed a person's future could be foretold by the position of the stars and planets at the time of birth.

Phenology was introduced in the 17th century by E. J. Gail and was based, according to Prof. Coburn, upon medieval experiments of that time concerning the discovery that certain faculties are centered in certain portions of the brain. Working from this discovery, Gail decided that the bumps on the head were caused by abnormal development of certain brain centers and by locating the brain centers covered by the bumps a person's character could be foretold. To disprove this theory, Prof. Coburn stated that modern men know that the brain design is not strong enough to have any part in shaping the bones of the skull. He also spoke of the discovery of the vine and discovered rays and the way these discoveries have been exploited.

The idea of reading a person's character by following the lines of the hand was also attacked by Prof. Coburn. He said, is an interesting name for a house party, but outside of that is "bunk." He acknowledged, however, that considerable could be learned of a person's character by a study of the shape of the hand, the fingernails, and marks of labor.

A related type of psychology that is being practiced now, he said, and that has as one of its greatest exponents Catherine Blackford of Boston, is really not psychology but physiognomy. In the use of this attention is paid not only to the shape of the head but to the contour of the face, the nose, the color of the hair and eyes, the squareness of the chin and the texture of the skin.

Miss Blackford, he said, certainly is a great reader of character, due to her great experience in meeting people, but she injured her art in attempting to teach others her methods who were not of as great experience in meeting people.

As an example of the fallacy of physiognomy, Prof. Coburn said one thing taught by them is never to employ a red-haired girl as a bookkeeper for any other work where the girl will be confined to a desk, but to employ them in positions where they constantly meet people. This is their particular forte. Everyone knows, he said, that this has been proven incorrect many times.

In his explanation of the present day psychology, Prof. Coburn explained the methods used by him in reading character, claiming that the present day psychology, introduced in this country in 1909 by James, is based on fact and laboratory tests. He likened the brain to a river, at the beginning a small brook, but possessing great potentialities, then gradually growing larger as we grow older, until the age of 20 is reached. From that time for a great many years the brain grows no larger, but continually keeps adding richer, then, in old age, it begins to shrink in size, the coming of "senior citizenship."

To examine the mind, he said, he must know the environment in which the person has lived and must also know something of the inherited tendencies, as there two things are the main essentials in character. Next came tests to decide what part of the subject's desires are actuated by intellect and what part by the emotions.

TOWN OF DRACUT NOTICE TO VOTERS

All persons claiming the right to vote in the coming town election and desiring to be registered as voters, are hereby notified to appear before the Board of Registrars of Voters, and present evidence of their qualifications, at a session to be held as follows, to wit:

At the Dracut Town Office, Dracut Centre, Saturday, Jan. 26, from 12 noon to 10 p. m.

ALTON E. BRYANT,
HARRY M. FOX,
FRED R. RODDY,
JOHN W. BRENNAN,
Clark,

Board of Registrars of Dracut.

Augusta Lady Gives Details of Recovery



Mrs. Eva Arbour, highly esteemed resident of 7 Bond street, Augusta, Me., is another to whom the "Tanlac" treatment has, to use her own words, "restored the joys of good health."

In giving the facts of her experience Mrs. Arbour said: "After six years suffering from indigestion I did not have strength and energy left to do my shopping. I scarcely ate enough to keep soul and body together and was pale as a ghost. When I began taking Tanlac I was so run-down, weak and nervous I could hardly wait to the store across the street.

"It was two years ago that I took Tanlac and I have not had a sick day since. I gained seventeen pounds and it made my cheeks like roses. My husband says I look better than I ever did, and I don't believe a person could feel any better than I do since taking Tanlac."

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From tests made in the psychological laboratories, he said, a person should expend half to the intellect and half to the emotions. Then come tests to determine the subject's desires, habits, ideas, disposition, and rationality, all of which result from environment and inherited tendencies actuated either by the emotional or intellectual development of the brain. Following these tests, he said in conclusion, the modern psychologist is able to give a fairly accurate reading of the subject's character and to instruct him in the lines of endeavor to suit for his temperament.

RED TRIANGLE MEN DEFEAT VISITORS

Permitting residents of the Lawrence Y.M.C.A. held a social visit to "Red Triangle Men" last night and enjoyed a supper served by Mrs. Valentin Wilmet at the association building. Mayor Archibald is grand of the Red Triangle Village president at the dinner and with them Secretary George Barford took welcome to the guests.

Following the meal, competition in chess, checkers, bowling and billiards ensued. The local team winning all events. A return engagement in Lawrence is planned for a month hence.

HOUSE WARMING SOCIAL

Employees of the Merrimack Manufacturing company held a merry party last evening at the home of Overbrook Ralph A. Cole in White River. It was a house-warming social in honor of the over-seer, who recently moved into his new home in Centralville. A Morris chair was tendered Mr. Cole by the visitors. Refreshments were served by the host.

Cocoon Oil Fine For Washing Hair

If you want to keep your hair in good condition, be careful what you wash it with.

Many poons and prepared shampoos contain too much free alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and is very harmful. Multisud coconut oil shampoo, which is pure and contains no free alkali, is much better than anything else you can use for shampooing, as this cannot possibly injure the hair.

Simply moisten your hair with water and rub it in. Two or three teaspoonfuls will make an abundance of rich, creamy lather, and cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. The lather rinses out easily and removes every particle of dirt, dandruff and excess oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly and it leaves it fine and silky, bright, fluffy, wavy and easy to manage.

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Stiff, swollen, inflamed, rheumatic joints should be treated with a remedy made for just that purpose only. Remember the name of this new discovery is Jerrabee and it will take you the time it takes the swelling and lumbering joints have miserably failed. Just rub it on the aching, aching joints, like the knee, elbow, shoulder, hip, and all other joints, and you will be free from pain.

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In fact anything that children and infants wear.

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FOR SELECTIONS AND PRICE LIST

CHALIFOUX'S SECOND FLOOR

LOWELL MADE TEXTILES IN THE LIMELIGHT

Lowell-made textiles are leading the procession of New England mill "offerings" for the 1924 fall season. "Forward!" is the motto today.

The best news of the New Year's thus far comes to Lowell, bringing tidings of much promise to all local textile manufacturing concerns, comes to The Sun today for public announcement.

It reveals a comprehensive step forward in a nation-wide campaign for new business in the production of exclusive and highly desirable Lowell-made fabrics. It may be said to clear away some of the clouds of uncertainty that have been hovering closely over several local cloth fabric producing establishments in this city for the past four months.

Announcements issued broadcast yesterday through the wholesale textile goods houses of Catlin & Co., New York city, describe in detail a wealth of broad-new lines of varied and attractive new napped goods and blankets of quality Lowell production exclusively, for fall season delivery this year.

The formal announcements, now being circulated by conservative trade channels in all leading cities of the country and abroad, cover all new lines of goods marked "1924 collection" and offered exclusively by Tremont & Suffolk mills, Hamilton Manufacturing company and the Appleton company, all represented by Catlin & Co.

The Sun is informed that New England textile interests are not worrying about southern mill competition in quality fabrics and special novelty cloths as they have been reported to be in fact, today, with broadening markets, many leading wholesalers prefer New England textiles, even at prices that appear to be high at present quotations.

As a matter of fact, the new prices placed on the Lowell-made napped goods and blankets for full deliveries are not so high as they were expected to be, and there is said to be a "good quotation" on all new offerings that will compare easily with similar products listed anywhere in the country.

Lowell's new products, opened for inspection and sale in New York wholesale marts yesterday, cover all the lines of napped goods and blankets manufactured by the local mills named. Catlin & Co. are to be the sole selling agents.

Included in the offerings are the products of the Tremont & Suffolk mills, Hamilton Manufacturing company, Appleton company and also the Florence mills. The following new lines are being shown for the first time—new Lowell-manufactured products exclusively:

1. "Sun-Apple" product of the Appleton company. Included in this offering is a full line of round-bottomed, light and dark for the pajama trade.

2. "M.D." and 3. "M.D." products of the Tremont & Suffolk mills. These goods are also offered in full lines for inspection and include many light and greys for pajama selections.

The Hamilton offerings are up to Catlin requirements in the well-known name, as a leader. The flannel materials are said to be strengthening everywhere and Lowell mills have taken an important step forward in being

"COMMUNITY DAY" IN BILLERICA

"Community Day" will be observed in Billerica Centre tomorrow, with an all-day program of entertainment and interesting discussions arranged by the Middlesex county extension service bureau. Basket luncheons will be in order at midday, members bringing their own food. The town director is Edward F. Dickinson, who announces the following program:

BOY SCOUTS SENIOR COURT OF HONOR

The senior court of honor of the Lowell council of the Boy Scouts of America, will meet on the evening of Tuesday, Jan. 23, for the purpose of conducting an examination for the promotion of scouts to higher grades, and for the awarding of merit badges for proficiency.

The rites held on Saturday last under the direction of Scout Executive Mellen and two of the scoutmasters was attended by over 50 boys, who hiked out to Braintree where scout games were played and tests given in the outdoor requirements for promotion.

During the past year 97 merit badges were awarded in Lowell and as more boys become eligible for these by passing the 1st class scout test, it is hoped that there will be twice this number in 1924.

Reports from New York today announce that many of the new lines of Lowell-made showings are replete with new and novel designs and patterns, and the buyers who visited the salesrooms on the first day's showing, passed many commendatory remarks and placed "a heavy volume of business."

A very significant fact dominating the present napped goods markets is that the Tremont & Suffolk and the Appleton mills offer new lines that will fit into popular-priced ranges for narrow cloths and approximate more nearly the sub-count cloths that have been made so freely of late years in southern mills. The prices of these new goods offered by Lowell textile agents have given rise to quite as much comment as the fact that old prices have been continued in standard lines.

The variety in the Tremont & Suffolk, Appleton and Hamilton lines by Catlin & Co. also is noteworthy in showing the intention of these sellers to make much more attractive offerings for a wider clientele than is usually served by the standard eastern mills, including Lowell.

From the offering of Lowell's new products and the tendering of more new narrow goods in napped fabrics, it is apparent that Lowell mills are not ready to give away to the south in a hurry in these finished lines.

RECONSTRUCTION OF AN ANCIENT HIGHWAY

Lowell chamber of commerce is a partner in the latest campaign started by Worcester chamber of commerce and citizens of numerous Worcester and Middlesex county towns, for the reconstruction of the five-mile ancient highway running from the town of Littleton to the town of Harvard.

The building of a new highway over the present antiquated and unimproved route that leads southwestward from the Boston-Littleton-Ayer state highway just west of the village of Littleton, would make it more convenient for motorists travelling from Lowell and Boston to New Hampshire points every month in the year. The proposed rebuilding of the "shortest" road now existing, would shorten the distance between Littleton and northern points and also give Lowell motorists an easier, straight-through line not only to northern points but to the Mohawk trail in the western part of Massachusetts.

A formal petition is now being circulated among the citizens of the towns where the new highway is desired. Scores of farmers and residents along the route between Littleton and Harvard are attaching their names to the paper.

The matter was first called to the attention of Lowell chamber of commerce about three years ago, by the Worcester chamber officials. As most of the proposed highway would rest in Worcester county, Massachusetts highway authorities have not until this time taken any particular interest in building a new surface on the short stretch that lies within the bounds of Middlesex county. Nevertheless, it is said that the petitioners will demand that the county of Worcester and the county of Middlesex, through their commissioners, act together and endeavor to secure sufficient appropriations for a reconstruction of the short section of highway.

It is believed that motor traffic at present confined to two other routes, now badly jammed with moving cars almost daily during the warmer months of the year, could be diverted to a large extent to the new Lowell-Littleton-Harvard-Ayer junction route now developing a particular interest in building a new surface on the short stretch that lies within the bounds of Middlesex county. Nevertheless, it is said that the petitioners will demand that the county of Worcester and the county of Middlesex, through their commissioners, act together and endeavor to secure sufficient appropriations for a reconstruction of the short section of highway.

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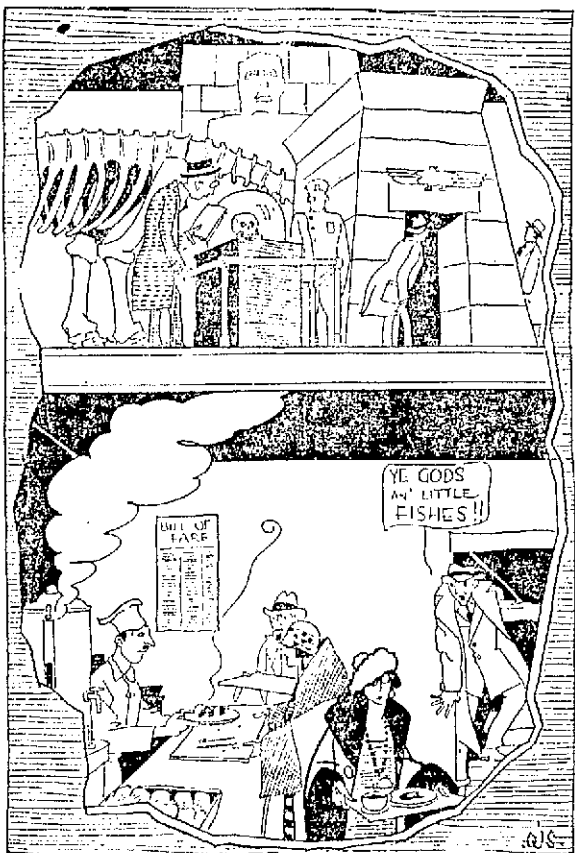
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This Little World

NEW YORK



WHEN GENE COHN THOUGHT HE HAD DISCOVERED THE ORIGINAL OF MRS. MURPHY'S BOARDING HOUSE, AS SEEN BY ROLAND J. SCOTT, N.E.A. STAFF ARTIST.

BY GENE COHN
N.E.A. Service Staff Writer

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—While pondering the incongruities of this little world consider for a moment the case of the world-famous Metropolitan Museum!

For the purposes of one's daily shot of ironies it might be sufficient to recall that upon one floor there stands, guarded and glass-encased, the famed "Madonna" while just below, also glass-encased and guarded, is the thigh bone of an anonymous gentleman of some centuries back.

Someone will proudly tell you that the "Madonna" "lost more money" than any other picture ever purchased; while a friendly entomologist

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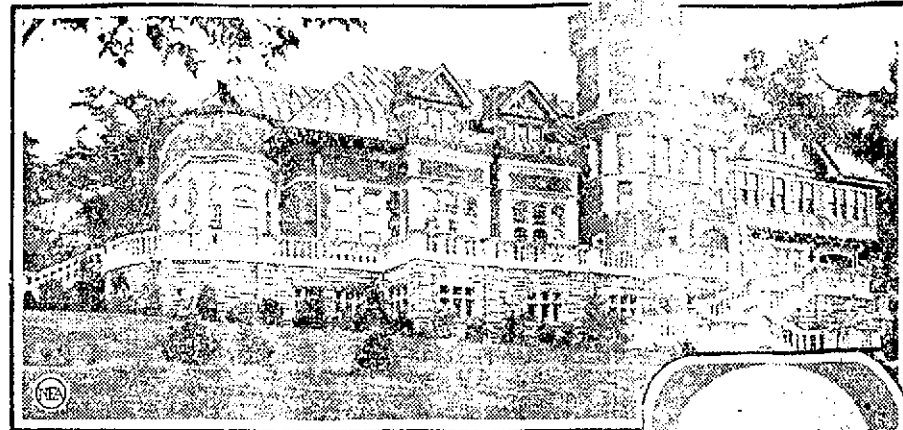
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CITY WONDERS AT NEW HOME



RIGHT: U. S. EPPERSON ABOVE: THE HALF-MILLION DOLLAR HOME HE HAS JUST BUILT, TO THE TOWN'S MYSTIFICATION

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 15.—When U. S. Epperson, wealthy resident of Kansas City, decided to spend several of his declining years building a magnificent home, he took into consideration the fact that he and his wife, well along in years, could not expect to occupy the home very long.

So Epperson arranged that the home be so constructed that it could be used for institutional purposes after the death of himself and his wife. The home, recently completed at a cost of nearly half a million dollars, contains 40 rooms that can be used

for hospital wards or for other purposes. At present, the aged couple, who are childless, occupy the mansion with a few servants.

What charitable or medical organization is to get the house on the death of Epperson is not known publicly. In fact, it is not known that any will get it. But the fact remains that the home is so built that it can be converted easily into a hospital or orphanage. The fact also remains that Epperson frankly stated when he began work on the home that he and



his wife did not expect to occupy it many years.
So Kansas City continues to wonder.

INFANTILE PARALYSIS CLINICS HELD HERE

The first of four examining clinics for infantile paralysis cases, held yesterday at the rooms of the Lowell Guild in Dutton street by representatives of the Harvard Infantile Paralysis commission and under the direction of the local board of health was most successful. Miss Florence Kenney of the commission was the examiner and 13 cases were before her for investigation. Similar clinics will be held at the Guild rooms on Jan. 26 and on Feb. 6 and 20.

The series of clinics became a reality upon suggestion of the board of health after experiencing an explosive outbreak of the disease last fall. From early in September until the last of the year 26 cases were reported and five deaths resulted, while in 1922 there was but one case reported during the entire year. The board requested the Harvard commission to arrange for clinics and asked the

MEETING OF COURT BLANCHE DE CASTILLE

A largely attended meeting of the members of Court Blanche de Castille No. 22, F.F.A. was held at the home of the president of the court Miss Ida Fortin, 202 Salem street last evening. Included in the business transacted was the acceptance of the invitation of a Nashua court to give an exhibition drill in that city on Feb. 28. It was voted to make the trip to Nashua by truck. The discussion of new uniforms was also on the table and motion was made that new skirts and hats be made for the trip on the 28th.

Plans for an entertainment to be given in C.M.A.C. hall, either before Lent or during mid-Lent, were also discussed and plans are now under way for an opera, the proceeds of which will be donated to the building fund for the Home for the Aged soon to be erected in Merrimack street for the aged French-speaking people of the city.

Miss Fortin introduced the chaplain of the court, Rev. Emile Bolduc, O.M.I., who addressed the members, congratulating them for their fine showing at the recent whist party of Union Samuel de Champlain, where they gave an exhibition drill, and urging them to accept the invitation to Nashua, stating that there could be no better opportunity for the girls than to visit neighboring courts and strengthening the bond of unity so necessary in fraternal organizations.

Following the meeting refreshments were served and a social hour was enjoyed during which musical selections were given by those present.



SURE SHOT
Mrs. Walter P. Andrews of Atlantic, Ga., was the only woman contestant in the recent transshipping tournament at Pinehurst, N. C. She finished 15th, with a score of 74, but completed with the best shots in the country.

Following the installation ceremony

COUNCIL ROCHAMBEAU What's Best for a Bad Stomach?

INSTALLS OFFICERS

The installation of officers for the ensuing year of Council Rochambeau, No. 1 of Royal Arcanum, was held last evening in C.M.A.C. hall with fraternal organizations. In the absence of Joseph A. Fortin, president, the ceremony was presided over by J. H. Edmund Desrosiers. The installation ceremonies were performed by a team of Regent James A. Fortin, J. H. Edmund Desrosiers, and a team of the Council officers. The officers installed were: Regent, J. H. Edmund Desrosiers; vice-regent, J. H. Edmund Desrosiers; secretary, J. H. Edmund Desrosiers; collector, J. H. Edmund Desrosiers; treasurer, J. H. Edmund Desrosiers; chaplain, J. H. Edmund Desrosiers; warden, J. H. Edmund Desrosiers; trustees, J. H. Edmund Desrosiers; and a team of the Council officers.



DAVID A. PARTHENAIS

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Nine-tenths of all stomach trouble—digestion, nervousness, gas, pain, heartburn, etc.—are caused by an excess of acid in the stomach. Artificial digestants, such as peptone, are not needed in such cases and may do real harm. Try taking inside all digestive acids, and instead neutralize the acid that has upset your stomach with a spoonful of two tablets of pure, unadorned Magnesia, taken with a little water. This instantly soothes the stomach and stops the pain and discomfort and your food passes as nature intended. For quick positive relief from Acid Stomach.

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addresses were made by Supervising Grand Regent Phinney, who spoke of the excellent work accomplished by the council and congratulated its members for the generous spirit of fraternal charity and co-operation so prevalent among their ranks.

Supreme Representative Dr. Hugh Walker, of Industry council, then explained to the gathering the new insurance plan of the Royal Arcanum which was adopted at the summer session of the supreme council of Royal Arcanum held at Atlantic City. He pointed out the superiority of the present plan over the old, stating the numerous benefits to be derived by the members under the new regime.

Past Regent Rodney Moor of Highland Council No. 1, Regent Fortin of Highland Council No. 7, David A. Parthenais, collector of Rochambeau Council, and Adolphe A. Desrosiers, secretary of Rochambeau Council also addressed the members, briefly speaking of the work of the council in general.

At the close of the session, refreshments were served and a smoke talk followed.

STAR HAS EYE TROUBLE
Pie Traynor, star third baseman of the Pittsburgh club, is said to be having serious trouble with his eyes.

SEE THE POINT
The Sun has by far the largest circulation of any Lowell paper. Ninety per cent of Sun readers do not read any other Lowell newspaper. See the point, Mr. Advertiser?

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Men's Furnishing Section

Men's Cashmere Merino Hose—Black and oxford, heather, brown and green; 45¢ value. January Clearance 29¢, 4 pairs \$1.00
Men's Fine Heather Sport Hose—Cashmere and worsted, black, heather, brown, green, oxford. January Clearance 45¢ pair
Men's Heavy Wool Hose—These Socks reinforced heel and toe, and are "Ball-Band" quality and workmanship; 89¢ value. January Clearance 58¢ pair
Men's Heavy Pure Wool Hose—Blue and dark grey, also "Ball-Band" quality and workmanship; \$1.00 value. January Clearance 79¢, 2 for \$1.50
Boys' Suspenders—50¢ value. January Clearance 35¢ pair
Men's Fancy Suspenders—Standard length; 39¢ value. January Clearance 25¢ pair
Men's Fancy and Police Suspenders—Standard and extra length; 45¢ value. January Clearance 35¢ pair
Men's Fancy and Police Suspenders—Standard and extra length; 59¢ value. January Clearance 45¢ pair
Men's Molekin Coats—Sheepskin lining, beaverized collar, best jersey woolen wrist, length of coat 31 inches; \$10.00 value. January Clearance \$8.50
Men's Molekin Coats—Made with sheepskin lining, beaverized collar, reinforced pockets, elastic wrist and belt, length of coat 30 inches; \$12.50 value. January Clearance \$10.00
Men's Molekin Coats—With extra heavy sheepskin lining, beaverized collar, reinforced pockets, best worsted, elastic wrist and belt, length 30 inches. January Clearance \$15.00
Men's Sheepskin Lined Vests—With worsted collar; \$8.50 value. January Clearance \$6.50
Men's Sheepskin Lined Vests—Worsted collar; \$6.00 value. January Clearance \$4.00
Men's Sheepskin Lined Vests—\$5.00 value. January Clearance \$3.50

Cotton Blankets, Wool Blankets, Bed Comforters, Wool and Down Puffs

Cotton Blankets, in white, gray and tan, pink and blue borders, 60 and 70 inches; regular value \$2.50 pair. January Clearance \$1.89
Tan and White Cotton Blankets, double bed size, 61x76; regular value \$2.59 pair. January Clearance \$2.00
Cotton Blankets, good quality, in white, gray and tan, large size, 66x80 inch; regular value \$2.98 pair. January Clearance \$2.29
Heavy Cotton Blankets, extra large size, in white, gray and tan with best color borders; regular value \$4.29 pair. January Clearance \$2.59 pair
Esmond Two-in-One Comfortable Blankets, jacquard weave, in large combination of colors; regular \$5.00 value. January Clearance \$3.95 each
Esmond Comfortable Blankets, two-in-one, jacquard weave, 70x80 inch; regular \$6.00 value. January Clearance \$4.29 each
Comfortable Blankets, in black plaid; regular value \$3.00. January Clearance \$1.95 each
Nashua Blanket, fine warm quality, in white and gray, with fancy borders, also Australian fancy plaid, double bed size, 61x76; regular price \$4.50. January Clearance \$3.99 pair
Nashua Blankets, in white, gray and tan, with best color borders, also Australian fancy plaid Blankets, extra large size, 72x81, regular value \$5.00. January Clearance \$4.39 pair
BED COMFORTERS
Bed Comforters, regular and extra sizes, satcen and embeige covering, some with plain borders to match; regular values \$8.00 to \$7.00. All one price \$5.00 each
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\$10.00 value, at \$7.95
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\$15.00 value, at \$11.95
\$18.00 value, at \$14.95
\$22.50 value, at \$17.95
DOWN PUFFS
Regular price \$15.00, at \$11.95
Regular price \$19.00, at \$14.95
Regular price \$25.00, at \$19.95
Regular price \$29.00, at \$22.50
WOOL BLANKETS
Wool Blankets, fancy plaid; 50 value, at \$4.65
White Wool Blankets, good warm blankets, double bed size, 70x80; regular value \$7.50, at \$5.45
Wool Blankets, wool and all wool, in white, fancy plaid and gray; large size; \$10.00 value. January Clearance \$6.95
Fine Quality of Blankets, all wool and part wool. January Clearance \$8.45
RETURFEE BLANKETS
Regular \$10.00 value, each \$2.29
Regular \$5.00 value, each \$3.98
COMFORTABLE BLANKETS
Esmond Comfortable Blankets in large assortment of new patterns and new colors. Regular value \$6.50 at \$3.95
Regular value \$5.00 at \$3.69
To Close—About 90 Heavy Wool Gray Cambray Blankets, \$5.00 value, at \$3.49
60 Bed Sets, heavy satin finish bed spreads with bolsters to match, large size, slightly soiled; regular value \$8.00 at \$5.80



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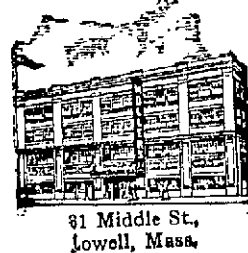
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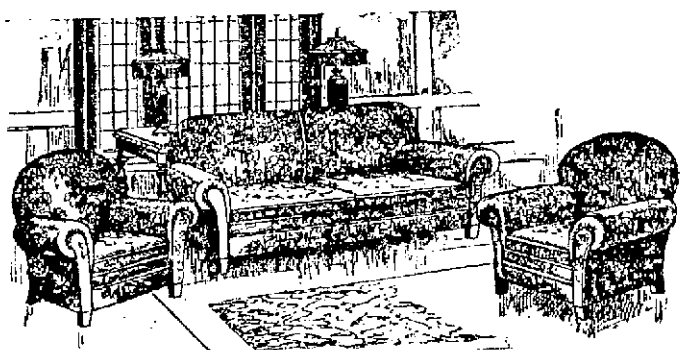
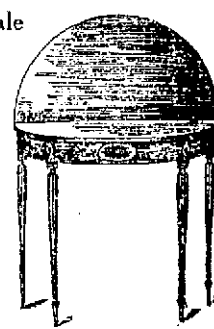
Large, comfortable rocker with wing back, covered in genuine Spanish leather. This rocker will stand many years of service and is offered during our February Sale at a tremendous sacrifice. Reduced to

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Special for This Sale CONSOLE and CARD TABLE

This table is an exact reproduction; has inlaid decoration and fluted legs. Handsomely built of mahogany in combination with other hardwoods. A fine Colonial table useful in many different ways. Reduced for our February Sale \$32.50 to

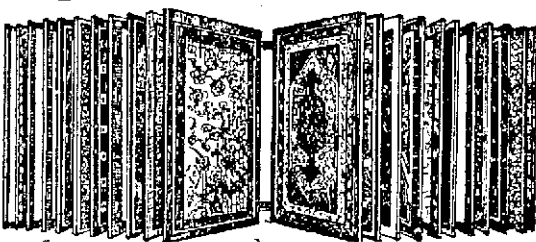


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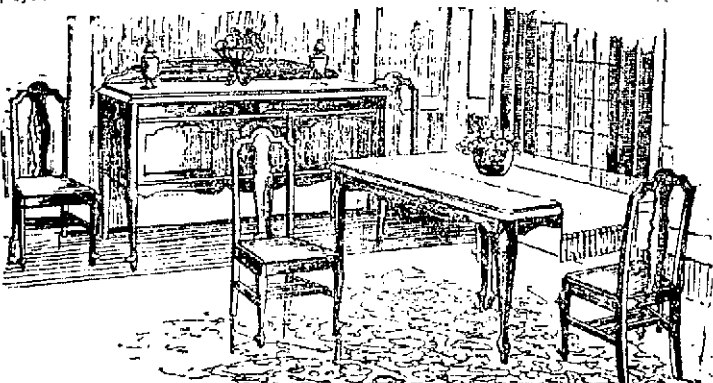
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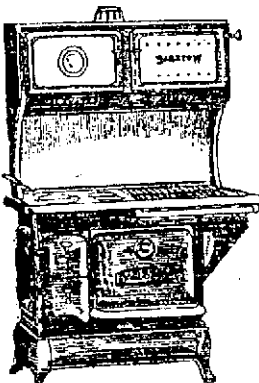
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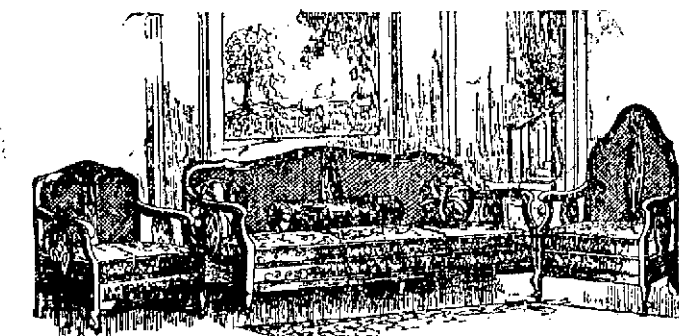
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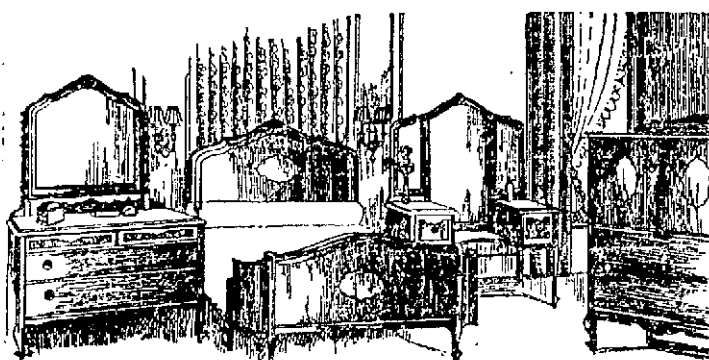
There is always room in every home for one of these roomy, comfortable chairs. The seat and back are upholstered in a pretty figured tapestry. Special for our February Sale.



3-Piece Cane Living Room Suite

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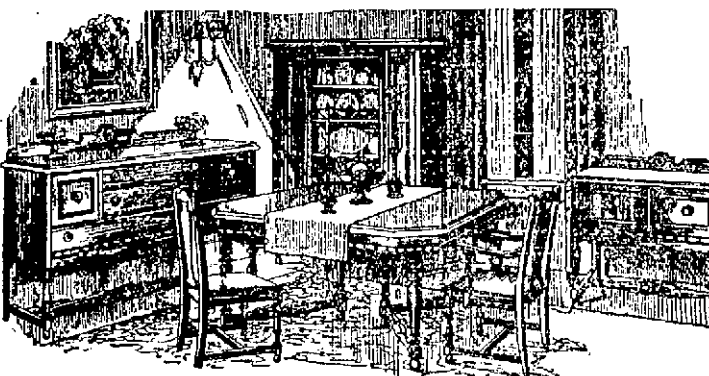
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Consisting of fireside chair, rocker and dayenport. All three pieces are large, built for solid comfort and long service. The frames are solidly constructed of hardwood and finished to resemble mahogany. The low February Sale price includes two pillows and bolster.



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This suite is very finely made of walnut in combination with other choice cabinet woods. It consists of bow-foot bed, large dresser, chiffonier and semi-vanity case. It is very prettily finished in two-tone effect. Greatly reduced for our February Sale.



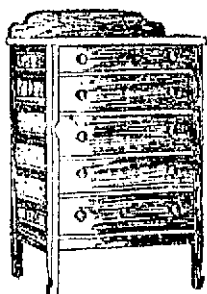
10-Piece Dining Room Suite

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This suite is solidly constructed on massive lines in the pleasing Jacobean period style of walnut in combination with other hardwoods. It consists of spacious 60-inch buffet, oblong extension table, china closet with glass panels, serving table, host chair and five side chairs with genuine leather seats. A very high grade suite at a specially low price.

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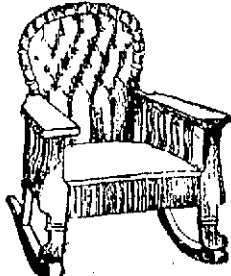
This table is made of solid mahogany throughout. It is 48 inches long when open. This is one of the greatest values ever offered by any store for a solid mahogany gateleg table.



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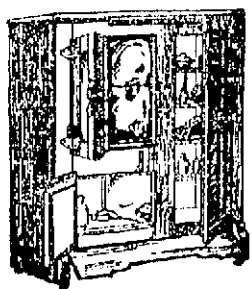
This chiffonier is solidly built of genuine golden oak and is very nicely finished. It has five large drawers. At this remarkably low price it is a rare bargain.



Rocker

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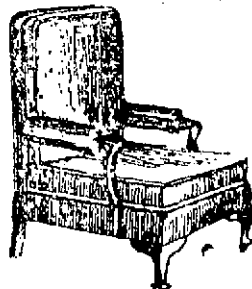
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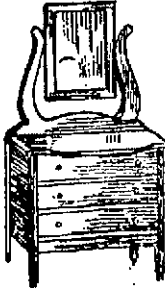
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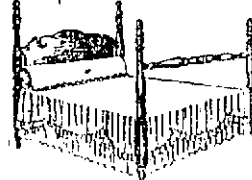
This chair combines beauty and comfort with solid construction. Upholstered in a fine grade of velvet. No single piece adds so much to a living room as a Coxwell chair. A rare bargain at our February Sale price.



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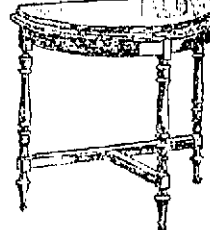
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CRISIS IN BIG RAIL STRIKE

British Public Anxiously Awaits Developments in Strike of Engineers

Things Soon Must Take a Definite Turn for Better or Worse

LONDON, Jan. 24.—The British public today anxiously awaited developments in the engineers' strike, for it was regarded as certain that things must take a definite turn for better or worse as a result of the fact that the railway managers had decided to defer their decision in regard to the union's suggestion for a conference.

However, the general assumption here today was that the road executives in no case would consent to a rediscussion of the issues involved in the strike, preferring to rest upon the findings of the railway wages board.

It was the reputation by the Associated Society of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen of this award, providing for a wage reduction, that led to the strike.

The impression prevails in some quarters that the managers are in no hurry to reach a settlement, believing that they stand to lose less than does the union by the continuance of the strike.

Rebels Yield to U. S. Protest

continued

The revolutionists, are in private hands in the United States, but the Obregon representatives are understood to have been informed that these ships are regarded as subject, normally at least, to the same restrictions as have been imposed upon the route of naval craft sold by the navy department since the conference—that they must not be permitted to become part of the naval forces of any other country without the sanction of the government. The Obregon government's request for purchase of surplus war craft direct from the United States was refused in conformity with the same obligations as dictated by the naval limitation treaty.

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In the Mexican situation was cleared away yesterday when Consul Wood at Vera Cruz reported that the rebel leader Adolfo de la Huerta had ordered the removal of all mines and obstructions from the harbors of Protonera, Puerto Mexico and Vera Cruz, as a result of the American protest.

Rebel Successes Announced

DALLAS, Tex., Jan. 24.—An official communication broadcast from De la Huerta's headquarters at Vera Cruz, and picked up by the radio station of the Dallas News last night, asserted that a rebel envelopment movement had resulted in occupation of a number of towns straddling the main lines of communications from Mexico City to the north and had resulted in President Obregon ordering suspension of train service from Laredo and El Paso, Tex., to Mexico City.

"As a result of General Estrada's move, our troops have occupied Salamanca, Colima, Valle de Santiago, San Mateo, Acumbaro, Maravatio, and other points, cutting off railway communications," said the communication. "Confirmation has been received of the report that the garrison at Ciudad Victoria, commanded by Col. Diaz Mercado, has joined our cause and cut off communication to the west."

General Figueroa captured Zacualpan, state of Mexico, taking two officers, 100 enlisted men, as many machine guns, and 12,000 cartridges. The same forces now are attacking Saltillo.

The forces under command of General Rencera Laviana, aided by citizens have captured the western part of Michoacan. Morelia now is being attacked.

Obregon has ordered suspension of train service from Laredo to Mexico City and from Juarez to Mexico City, because of activities of our troops and the number of towns we are occupying.

The towns mentioned as occupied by the rebels, in the enveloping movement include that from which President Obregon was mentioned in an official communication last night as directing the western front campaign—Chilpan, the others are in the states of Guanajuato, Mexico and Michoacan. In a semi-circle northwest of the federal district and controlling communication with the Texas border cities via the Mexican central railroad.

Federals Claim Victories

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 24.—City radio via the Fort Worth Star-Telegram (city the Associated Press) directed the western front campaign from the bay. President General Obregon has divided the federal forces under General Amaro for the purpose of pursuing rebel columns which virtually have abandoned Guadalajara and which are attempting to prolong the struggle by incursions into various parts of the states of Jalisco, Michoacan and Guanajuato.

The advance against Vera Cruz is proceeding under direct command of Martinez with Secretary of War Sarria directing operations from federal headquarters at Puebla. Prompt measures have been taken to suppress scattered rebellious movements in Coahuila.

Offensive operations are being directed from Tampico toward recovering petroleum districts under rebel control.

Confidential reports from Tampico are to the effect that Ciudad Victoria, which was taken over by a revolting garrison, early this week, has been recaptured by federals. Official confirmation is also lacking concerning

MEETING OF HOLY CROSS CLUB OF LOWELL

Hon. Dennis J. Murphy, president of the Merrimack Alumni Association of Holy Cross college, was the principal speaker at the regular monthly meeting of the Holy Cross club of Lowell in Marie's restaurant last night. There were about 20 members present.



HON. DENNIS J. MURPHY

and enthusiastic reports of progress were received.

The Lowell Holy Cross club was organized early in the year for the purpose of stimulating interest in local Holy Cross affairs. Dr. Francis A. Finnegan, director of school hygiene, is president.

Mr. Murphy's talk last night was of an informal nature, but interesting. He stressed the need of maintaining interest in all Holy Cross undertakings and of supporting every movement. Other speakers were Dr. Richard J. McCluskey and William J. McCluskey.

It was voted to entertain the members of the Holy Cross basketball team when they come here to play Lowell Textile on the evening of Feb. 25. The next meeting will be held on that date.

Reports that a federal vanguard has entered Guadalajara.

Messages given out by the war department state that it is apparently confirmed that Gen. Carlos Dominguez, former chief of staff under Carranza, was killed during fighting at El Carmen last week.

According to specialists from Tampico, rebel sympathizers accused of spreading false reports of federal defeats, have been ordered to leave town and join military authorities here, here reported to be planning similar action against those spreading similar reports in the capital.

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MISCELLANEOUS TAX RATES CONSIDERED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The house ways and means committee proceeded today with consideration of the miscellaneous tax rates, leaving the fate of the Mellon proposals for revision of income taxes undetermined while the democratic members await the definite terms for a compromise which they suggested yesterday when Chairman Greene proposed that the committee work out a non-partisan bill.

IS SURVIVED BY BROTHER AND NIECE

Information was received today at the undertaking establishment of William A. Mack to the effect that John McHugh, a former Lowell resident who died in Lawrence suddenly, Tuesday, is survived by a brother and a niece. Information concerning the brother was given by a person who visited the establishment today and told Mr. Mack of a brother who went to Australia years ago. When Mr. McHugh was taken to the Lawrence hospital shortly before his death, he gave the name of Nellie Gilbride of Belmont street, this city, as his nearest relative. There is no Nellie Gilbride listed in the directory as living in Belmont street, but an attempt is being made to locate her.

In the story of Mr. McHugh's death in the Sun yesterday, it was stated that the body was removed to 13 Dutton street by a Lawrence undertaker and that the funeral would be held to-

day. The funeral will be next Monday and will be from the undertaking establishment of William A. Mack, who has charge of the body.

Legislative Committee Visits Local Textile Mills

respects were formally paid to the mayor, then a short walk over to the Yvick club for a brief social chat with more representatives of Lowell industrial organizations, and shortly after 10 o'clock, adjournment to the first mill to come under the legislators' inspection—the Merrimack.

The list of visitors from Beacon Hill looks rather impressive on paper. It was given to The Sun by a clerk of the committee accompanying the visiting delegation and is as follows:

Senate representatives — Senator Charles P. Howard, chairman of the senate committee on labor and industry; Senators Clark and Lusk.

House representatives — Representative Frank H. Phinney, chairman; Representative Blanchard, clerk; Representatives Garrity, Kelley, Brimblecome, Mellen, Nickerson and Perry.

The members of the state committee of legislators were accompanied on their trip to Lowell by Richard B. Stanley, legislative counselor representing the Arkwright club, composed of leading textile manufacturers; John J. Riley of Lowell, also traffic agent of the Arkwright club, and Charles J. Haddock, legislative agent of the American Federation of Labor.

Made Short Visit

The legislative committee members had been expected to spend the entire day visiting various Lowell textile establishments, but plans were said to have been changed yesterday and members notified to leave Boston early this morning on the 9 a. m. train so as to reach Lowell before 10 o'clock. It

was stated that only three hours would be devoted to investigating industrial conditions in this city, as the visit to Lawrence this afternoon was on the calendar, and the entire trip of mill survey must be made in one day's journey from Boston.

The visitors lost no time in "making the rounds" laid out for them. Agent Wadsworth of the Merrimack company acted as host both in the journey from the train and to the other points on the local industrial tour. The Arkwright club representatives were left at city hall for the time being and did not enter the Merrimack mills with the remainder of the investigators.

Conditions at the Lawrence Manufacturing company were explained by Agent Eugene H. Walker. From the Lawrence company, the Beacon Hill visitors rushed quickly to Lowell Corporation hospital, where a tour was made of all the wards and adjoining quarters, including an inspection of the rooms devoted to the provision of nourishing foods and medical supplies to hospital patients. No particular reason was supplied by any of the visitors as to the objects of the hospital visitation, but it was regarded as an important part of the Lowell itinerary anyhow.

The Sun was informed that the legislators were prepared to ask questions covering schedule hours of labor, and would endeavor also to obtain the views of mill operatives at the factory in ascertaining first-hand opinions from the labor viewpoint on attitudes concerning the 48-hour day.

Object Visit

It was stated by a representative of the Arkwright club that the visit to Lowell as well as the three other leading textile manufacturing cities of Massachusetts—New Bedford, Fall River and Lawrence—was to give the members of the senate and house legislative branches some representative idea of the actual conditions prevailing in a majority of the textile industries of Massachusetts today.

It was stated that only a few members of the joint committee had ever before actually seen the inside of a textile mill and that the visit to the four cities named, including Lowell, was a visit of discovery as well as enlightenment. It was not explained how such a brief visit to the cities named by the legislative investigating committee could reveal a great deal in the matter of desirable information that would provide much vital material to work upon.

Richard B. Stanley of the Arkwright club stated that he was merely accompanying the visitors on their round of the textile cities as a representative of the manufacturers' organization and nothing more. He believed the tour had been enlightened this far, notwithstanding the short visitation schedules. Asked why more textile establishments had not been visited today while the visitors were here, Mr. Stanley said he did not make the schedule up and that the committee had not planned to spend any extraordinary amount of time touring the textile mills at present.

Legislative Petitions

Mr. Stanley said, in referring to the legislative petitions, he had acted upon by the committee on labor and industry.

There are several bills to come before the legislature this year, some of them intended to increase the weekly hours of labor in industrial plants. One bill to be considered would abolish the 48-hour law and put a 51-hour law measure on the statute books in its place. Another proposed measure

TURNED ZION'S DESERT INTO OASIS



THE ABOVE PHOTOS OF ARABIA ILLUSTRATE THE PROGRESS MADE BY THE JEW IN TURNING THE SANDS OF PALESTINE INTO FRUITFUL FARMS AND THRIVING CITIES. PHOTO ON UPPER LEFT, THE LAYING OF THE CORNERSTONE OF TEL-AVIV IN 1908; UPPER RIGHT, HIRZEL STREET, THE MAIN STREET OF TEL-AVIV TODAY; LEFT CENTER, ONE OF THE FIRST JEWISH MILKMAIDS SINCE BIBLICAL TIMES; RIGHT CENTER, REAPING WHERE THE DESERT USED TO BLOOM; AND BOTTOM, THE MODERN HIGH SCHOOL IN TEL-AVIV.

BY MILTON BRONNER
N.E.A. Service Staff Correspondent

London, Jan. 23.—Orange groves and vineyards and wheat fields where they have not been seen for centuries. Up-to-date American road-making, farm-reaping and fruit-canning, nothing in a land where the primitive plow has been the rule.

These hills planted for forests, shift-would supplant the 48-hour law by a new 54-hour law enactment, to remain in force during the next four years. This would give the mills a chance to show what our industries in this northern section of the country could do with working hours more equal with the hours in force in competing mills in other sections of the country, namely, the south.

There is a third legislative bill which, first, would increase the number of hours in which help of all kinds

the sands held tight by the planting of the enclosures, marshes drained, and metal roads built.

A whole comprehensive school system, ranging from kindergartens clear up to a national university.

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might work. This would call for extra hours for women and some minor over 16 years of age. It would mean two shifts for women workers. These are the principal bills covering the operation of textile establishments in Massachusetts that we are interested in. That is why this legislative committee and the Arkwright club representatives are here today.

Most of the immigrants are young men ranging from 20 to 30 who leave with their young families. They are mainly men who have served in the armies of their country and who have already either worked as farmers or mechanics or as useful crafts. And all are idealists.

In one period of 18 months, 14,358 Jews were admitted to Palestine. They came from 43 different countries and spoke almost as many languages. The chief countries of origin were: Poland 14,358; Russia, 2,588; Rumania, 2,432; Lithuania, 819; Rumania, 616; Turkey, 552 and Morocco, 325. Only 275 came from America.

When these Jews land in Palestine they are immediately taken care of at labor camps where the men are put to work as manual laborers. In this way 50 miles of roads, 10 miles of railway, a bridge over the Jordan and other things have been accomplished. Others are employed in house building. They are then gradually settled on the land.

The Zionists have 55 colonies comprising about 17,000 acres of arable land in such classical places as the vale of Sharon, Samaria, Galilee and the great plain where Armageddon was fought. The total population of Palestine is 275,000, of whom 55,794 are Jews and 219,206 are Christians.

It is estimated the country could easily support 2,000,000 when properly cultivated. The arable area of Palestine is estimated at 12,000 square miles of which only 1000 are in use. So it can be seen how little the Zionists own up to the present.

All their land has been purchased from the Arabs. It is not sold to Jewish settlers. They get it on a system of permanent lease, the land as a whole, being held as Jewish national land.

In some communities the workmen farm as co-operative communities. It is the vision of the Zionists that their holdings shall one more be given over to the cultivation of grapes, olives, cotton, grapes, wheat and barley. Prof. Edward Mead of University of California, has surveyed their activities and is preparing an optimistic report.

The work of setting up farms, building homes and roads and establishing schools is something like the early pioneer story of Utah. Like our early settlers in the west, these Palestinian Jews are strong on schools. They have today 111 of all kinds, with 271 teachers and 12,146 pupils.

Just as our job with our melting pot is to teach the children to speak English, so in this new melting pot of Jewry the kids are being taught Hebrew instead of the tongues of Europe, Africa and Asia. In the towns Jews, as in the villages, have been taught and now working class suburbs planned for Jerusalem, Jaffa and Tiberias.

It is a common mistake to think that under the British mandate Jews rule the land. The administration is a British administration under a high commissioner. The present one, who is the man is Sir Herbert Samuel, a Jew, but most of the other high officers are British.

The British plan for some sort of executive assembly composed mainly of Moslems, but containing also Jews and Christians. However, Arab opposition, this has so far failed to materialize.

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WOULD CANCEL OIL LAND LEASE

Resolution of Sen. Caraway Provides Further Fuel for Debate in the Senate

Montana Senator Would Bar Atty. Gen. Daugherty From Part in Probe

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The resolution of Senator Caraway, democrat, Arkansas, calling for cancellation of the lease of the Teapot Dome naval oil reserve to Harry F. Sinclair, provided further fuel for debate in the senate today while the committee inquiries were prepared at a meeting in the vestibule and similar transacted after noon to question Edward L. Doheny, lessee of naval oil lands in California.

Mr. Doheny arrived this morning from New Orleans and he is expected to be followed shortly from the same city by former Secretary Fall, who headed the interior department when the leases were negotiated.

The Caraway resolution remained the order of business in the senate after more than three hours of sensational discussion yesterday, during which Senator Walsh, democrat, Montana, who has taken the lead in developing the inquiry, gave formal notice of his intent to ask the committee to recommend a resolution advising the president to institute judicial proceedings for annulment of the Teapot Dome lease and employ special counsel to prosecute the case.

Moreover, the senator said he would ask the committee to include in the resolution a provision for the employment of special counsel to prosecute the case independent of the department of justice for reason of the widespread suspicion throughout the country against Attorney General Daugherty.

MARSHVILLE ON MARKET
Marionville is almost certain to be traded to Pittsburgh before the opening of the season.

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Don't Be Cautious—Until You Try This New Home Cure That Gives You Relief Without Discomfort or Loss of Time. Simply Chew up a Pleasant Tasting Tablet Occasionally and Rid Yourself of Piles.

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My internal method for the treatment and permanent relief of piles is the result of years of study upon thousands of grateful letters testifying to this, and I want you to try this method at my expense.

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I especially want to send it to those apparently hopeless cases where all forms of ointments, salves, and other local applications have failed.

I want you to realize that my method of treating piles is the one most dependable treatment.

This liberal offer of free treatment is too important for you to neglect a single day. Write now. Send no money. Simply mail the coupon—but do it now—today.

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Comfort Your Skin With Cuticura Soap and Fragrant Talcum

Rodriguez	89	97	268	scheduled for Feb. 1 in Newark,
Slivie	90	98	277	been called off, it was announced
Correa	103	95	280	Stralbin, would have more time
Avila	96	92	292	train for his fight with McTigue.

16 FARM RELIEF ASKED IN NEW MESSAGE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—Five short for the relief of the agricultural situation in the northwest, some to be taken by congress, some by the executive branch of the government and some by private interests, were outlined by President Coolidge today in a special message to congress. The steps include:

The refunding of the pressing past-due indebtedness of the farmer in the territory most seriously affected.

Financial assistance through a federal agency to enable wheat farmers to make the change from a single crop system to diversified farming.

The restoration of the depleted capital of banking institutions in the distressed sections.

The creation by private capital of a central financial corporation to act in the plan of reorganization.

The extension of the time during which the war finance corporation can make loans.

Mr. Coolidge told congress that these were measures "by which without undue alarm or agitation, but nevertheless promptly and effectively, we can bring to bear on a serious, though happily a localized, emergency, every resource of the federal government and all the assistance which the business and farming community can render."

"The economic situation in certain wheat raising sections of the northwest," the president said at the outset of his message, "is reaching an acute stage that requires organized co-operation on the part of the federal government and the local institutions of that territory for its solution."

WHEN BACK HURTS FLUSH OUT KIDNEYS

Drink Lots of Good Water All Day. Also Take Salts Occasionally

When your kidneys hurt and your back feels sore don't get worried and proceed to load your stomach with a lot of drugs that excite the kidneys and irritate the entire urinary tract. Keep your kidneys clean like you keep your bowels clean, by flushing them with a mild, harmless salts, which help to remove the body's urinous waste and stimulate them to their normal activity. The function of the kidneys is to filter the blood. In 24 hours they strain from it four quarts of acid and waste, so we can readily understand the vital importance of keeping the kidneys active.

Drink lots of good water—you can't drink too much, also get from any pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for ages to help clean and soothe aching kidneys. It also neutralizes the acids in the system so they are no longer a source of irritation, thus often relieving bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; can not injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink, which everyone should take now and then to help keep their kidneys clean and active. Try this; also keep up the water drinking, and no doubt you will wonder what became of your kidney trouble and backache. By all means have your physician examine your kidneys at least twice a year. Adv.

COUGHED SO HARD HE WAS READY TO DIE

But He Recovered Quickly and Gained 9 Pounds in 5 Weeks

Last December I caught a heavy cold, which left me with a deep-seated cough. I coughed so hard I would start the blood. I thought I was a goner, until I tried Milla Emulsion. I used one bottle after another. My cough is gone, and I have gained nine pounds in five weeks. It puts me back in the world. Milla Emulsion, 147 So. 45th St., Pittsburgh, Pa.

When hundreds upon hundreds of people tell you of just such recovery, just such gains in weight, it must be worth your trying, at least. A trial costs nothing.

Milla Emulsion restores healthy, natural bowel action. It is a truly corrective medicine, doing away with all need of pills and physics. It promotes appetite and quickly puts the digestive organs in shape to assimilate food, and thus build flesh and strength. Milla Emulsion is strongly recommended to those whose nervousness has weakened. It is a powerful aid in restoring and restoring the effects of wasting diseases. Chronic stomach trouble and constipation are promptly relieved.

This is the only solid emulsion made, and so palatable that it is given with a spoon like ice cream. Wonderful for weak, sickly children. No matter how severe your case, you are urged to try Milla Emulsion under this guarantee: Take six bottles home with you, use it according to directions and if you are not satisfied with the results, your money will be promptly refunded. Price 60c and \$1.20 per bottle. The Milla Emulsion Co., Fort Hanco, Ind. Sold by druggists everywhere. Adv.

Quickly Conquers Constipation

Don't let constipation poison your blood and curtail your energy. If your liver and bowels don't work properly take CARTER'S Little Liver Pills today and your trouble will cease. For dizziness, lack of appetite, headache and blotchy skin nothing can equal them. Purely vegetable. Small Pill—Small Dose—Small Price



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Usually one pictures the income tax folks as a bunch of pirates when Uncle Sam makes his annual demand. This 24-year-old chap, however, is one of the main ones in the machine. He is A. W. George, special assistant to the secretary of the Treasury, noted as a tax wizard and an adviser of the secretary on tax and internal revenue matters.

America's Cold Remedy



150 MILLION Hill's Cascara Bromide Quinine Tablets Used Last Year You can depend on Hill's Cascara Bromide Quinine to break your cold in 24 hours—a gripe in three days.

There's no guesswork about Hill's. It has been proven in millions of cases. More than 4,000,000 American families used one hundred and fifty million of Hill's tablets last year.

For headaches, constipation, acute pains due to colds, la grippe and winter complaints, Hill's Cascara Bromide Quinine has no equal. Don't delay—get Hill's today in red box bearing Mr. Hill's portrait. All druggists, 30 cents.



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Stubborn Coughs

Stop Quick With Home Made Cough Mixture

Not until you make your own cough mixture, a half pint of it for a small sum, will you know how easy it is to stop any bad, persistent cough as if by magic.

It's pleasant-tasting, but that doesn't stop it from knocking out a cough quicker than anything else in the world. Children love it.

Get from any druggist one ounce of Parmit (double strength) to this add a little granulated sugar and enough water to make one-half pint—that's all there is to it.

This boosts the phlegm, stops the irritation, allays the inflammation, makes coughed-up mucus, makes breathing easier, and causes sore throat and hoarseness to disappear.

With speed almost beyond belief this home-made cough mixture stops the toughest, longest-cough, and all because in it there is a substance (too easily for colds) is cough syrup that immediately relaxes the membrane like a soothing, healing, poultice and bleeds.

And it is always a worth while to bear in mind that any remedy that overcomes cough, partially or wholly, is bound to be of benefit to those who are troubled with head noises and disturbed sleep.

Get Parmit and get better—Adv.

TAKEN FROM LIFE



QUACK PROBERS VISIT CAMBRIDGE SCHOOL

HARTFORD, Conn., Jan. 23.—George A. Harmon of Suffield and Harold J. Boardley of West Hartford, members of the grand jury probing alleged fake doctors in Connecticut, are in London and Cambridge, Mass., today, investigating the Middlesex College of Medicine and Surgery at Cambridge and the Boston College of Physicians and Surgeons at Boston.

The grand jury will resume its deliberations on Monday.

INDICT VETERANS FOR ALLEGED FRAUD

BOSTON, Jan. 23.—William H. Burns, president, and three other officials of the Massachusetts Association of Disabled Veterans of the World War, were indicted by the federal grand jury today on charges of conspiracy and use of the mails to defraud, in connection with subscriptions to the association's rest camp at Shirley.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES

BOSTON—Judge McConnell in the superior court denied a petition by the Gregory & Reed Co., shoe manufacturers of Lynn, for an injunction to restrain the Amalgamated Shoe Workers from picketing its factory. He ordered the appointment of a master to hear and determine the merits of the controversy between the company and the union.

NEW YORK—William M. Potter, former head bookkeeper of the Anti-Slavery League, testified today at the trial of William H. Anderson, league superintendent, that at Anderson's direction he had transferred entries in the league books and written checks for Anderson which were charged to the league account of G. Russell Phillips, collector.

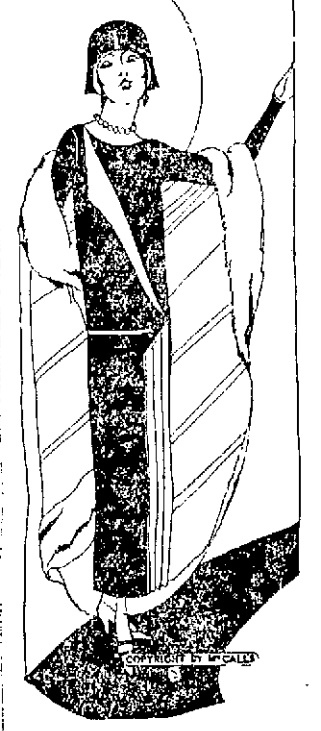
LIVERPOOL, England. The railway strike has created a serious shortage of coal here, both for ship bunkering and industrial and domestic purposes. Unless increased coal supplies are available by the end of the week, there is danger of a partial holdup of shipping.

WASHINGTON—Advices to representatives of the Mexican revolutionary party here today, announced the capture of Olaya by revolutionary cavalry, cutting off the Obregon army in the Guadalupe section from Mexico City.

BROCKTON.—Incensed over the fact that the community chest in its recent drive had most of its printing done in non-union shops and that this act was upheld by the Brockton Central Labor Union, the local Typographical union voted to withdraw all support from the central body and cease sending delegates to its meeting.

LYNN.—After telling relatives that he would rather die than face a possible jail term as a result of his recent arrest on charges of illegal liquor selling, Gregorio di Nucci went to the waterfront today and jumped off a dock. His body was recovered later.

NEW YORK.—His decker and ten buoys covered with a blizzarding coat of ice, the Norwegian liner, Helix, today has arrived from Copenhagen with reports of tremendous gales and sub-zero temperature encountered off the American coast.



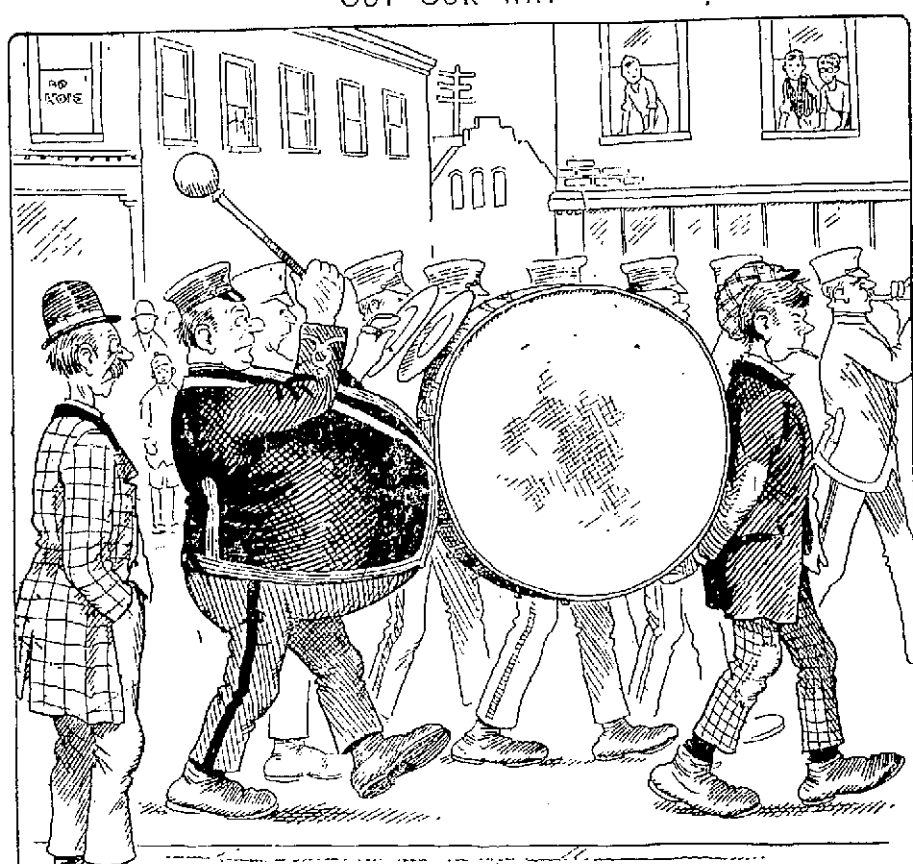
SKIRTS GROW SHORTER

Due to the new pencil silhouette, skirts are growing shorter. A frock like a model sack that extends to the ankles is hardly graceful. On the other hand a straightline frock that extends only to a point well above the ankles is youthful and simple and becoming.

That's why the dresses grow shorter again day by day.

The new French gowns and separate skirts are 12 and 14 inches from the sole of the foot. It may be some time before we come to that again. For the present New York designers are content with eight or 10 inches from the floor as the correct length.

OUT OUR WAY

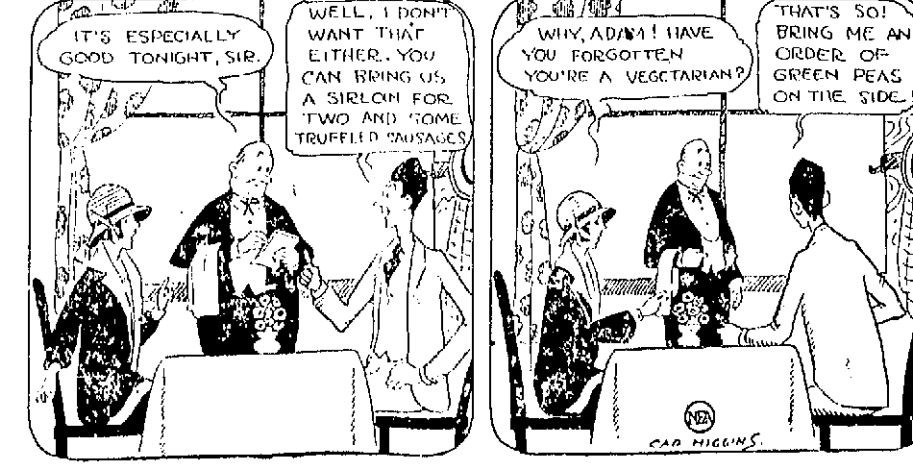


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FOREIGN AND HOME MISSIONARY WORK



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OUR BOARDING HOUSE

TWO BILLS BEFORE LEGISLATURE TO AMEND PLAN B CHARTER

One Provides That Maximum Salary for Mayor Shall Be \$10,000 Instead of \$5000—The Other Gives Council Power to Remove Department Heads

(Special to The Sun.)
BOSTON, Jan. 24.—Although there are pending before the legislature two bills to amend the Plan B form of city charter, under which Lowell operates, it is considered very doubtful if either will be favorably considered by the general court.

One of these provides that the maximum salary which the city council may vote for the mayor shall be \$10,000, instead of the present limitation of \$5000. This is introduced on petition of the city solicitor of Waltham, another city which is operating under the Plan B charter, and has been referred to the committee on cities. No date for hearing it has as yet been assigned.

It provides that the section of the charter relative to the mayor's salary shall read thus:

"The mayor shall receive for his services such salary as the city council by ordinance shall determine, not exceeding ten thousand dollars, and shall receive no other compensation from the city. His salary shall not be increased or diminished during the term for which he is elected."

Rep. Victor F. Lowell, of Lowell, who is the republican floor leader of the house, declared today that he is very much opposed to the bill, a fact which would undoubtedly bring about its defeat, even if the committee on cities should report it favorably, which is most unlikely. The salary proposed is greater than that paid in any other city in the east, except Boston.

The other Plan B bill, which seems

even more certain of defeat, is one which in effect would give to a majority of the city council power to remove any department head, at the expiration of his term, even against the wishes of the mayor.

This bill emanates from Cambridge, another of the Plan B cities, and is sought by Ralph W. Robert, a newly elected member of the city council there. It reads:

"Should the name of any person submitted to the city council for re-election fall of confirmation by the city council the officer shall be a temporary appointee to such office, and temporary appointee to such office shall continue until the name of the person submitted for confirmation is announced. The mayor shall submit all appointments for confirmation by the city council not later than thirty days after their respective terms expire. Any person or persons now holding any office whose term has expired shall come within the provisions of this amendment."

This measure has been referred by the house to the committee on cities, but as it is not yet in print, the senate has not concurred in the reference. There is no doubt that it will do so, however, and soon after this is done the measure will be assigned for a hearing.

HOYT.

CHILD DIES OF INJURIES

Mother in Hospital Visiting
One Son When Another
Is Brought In

SALISBURY, Jan. 24.—Robert A. Rundlett, aged five years, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rundlett, died this forenoon at the Salisbury hospital of a fractured skull, received when struck yesterday afternoon on Bridge street by an automobile driven by Charles Houghton, 191 Lewiston avenue, Lynn. Houghton was not held by the police, as witnesses stated the child ran from the sidewalk into the car as it passed.

A pathetic feature of the accident was that the child's mother was at the hospital visiting another son, who yesterday was operated upon, when this second child was brought in, with a fractured skull. When the child was brought in, the mother was so overcome that she fainted.

VETERANS START DRIVE FOR NEW MEMBERS

Walker-Brooks post 662, Veterans of Foreign Wars, has started a drive for new members. Two new members were enrolled at Tuesday evening's regular post meeting. The commander, David P. Caldwell, is soon to announce the program which will aid in the new membership campaign. Circular letters are to be employed.

Quartermaster Pingree has asked all post members to buy their dues promptly. Patriotic instructor Whiteley reports that plans for the holding of a patriotic entertainment in Granite hall, Braintree, on Feb. 1, are in the making.

Warnings have been issued by Post 662 to the people of Lowell to beware of bogus ex-servicemen, who are making the city rounds appealing for aid. Solicitors of this sort are declared to be working the public wearily, unless they can show proper military credentials.

Post 662 members have considered several legislative bills affecting service men and disabled war veterans. Action has been taken on several.

Patriotic instructor Whiteley has been appointed chairman of the newly elected entertainment committee, which will serve throughout the present year.

SLIGHT INCREASES IN WEEKLY EARNINGS

(Special to The Sun.)
BOSTON, Jan. 24.—Slight increases in average weekly earnings, and decreases in the number of persons employed, comparing a week in December with one in November, are indicated by data furnished to the state department of labor and industries, and made public today.

In accordance with its usual practice, the department collected from identical establishments payroll data for a payroll week in each of the months, in each case using the week ending nearest the 15th.

The establishments included number 511, representing all of the more important industries, and employing about one-third of the average number of workers in the state.

In the December week, some establishments employed a total of 210,567 persons, paying them an aggregate of \$3,117,878, an average wage of \$24.41. In the November week, employees numbered 215,443, wages amounted to \$3,150,864, an average of \$23.91 per person.

The following changes, therefore, took place during the month: A decrease of 4,876, or 2.3 per cent, in the number of employees; a decrease of \$27,851, or less than one-tenth of 1 per cent in the aggregate payroll; and an increase of 31 cents, or 1.3 per cent, in the average weekly earnings per person.

There were decreases in the number of employees in 25 of the 35 industries included; increase in nine and no change in one. Average weekly earnings increased in 21 industries and decreased in 11.

HOYT.

SPECIAL CAR CHARTERED

Lowell Elks Will Go to Worcester to Join in Reception to Michael McCarron

With a special trolley chartered and a full quota of passengers guaranteed, Lowell Elksdom is to turn out strong next Monday night for the "homecoming" at Worcester of Michael H. McCarron, past exalted ruler of Lowell lodge, past exalted ruler of Worcester lodge, and district deputy grand exalted ruler for the jurisdiction of Massachusetts northward.

District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler John P. Farley, P.E.R., of Lowell lodge No. 57, and Exalted Ruler W. Edward Turnbull, with chair officers and grand lodge members, will head the Lowell delegation. Probably 500 or more Elks will make the visitation. Many auto parties are now being made up among members, while Lordal deGillie has charge of the trolley reservation.

District Deputy McCarron, who recently paid his official visit to this lodge, is highly popular with Lowell Elks. Delegations varying in size from a score to nearly a hundred persons, all members of No. 57, have attended most of his visitations in the district. Upon the occasion of his official visit here earlier in the month the Middlesex hall was unable to accommodate over half the great throng that turned out to greet him.

Worcester lodge has arranged a reception that will be recorded in the annals of Massachusetts Elksdom as one of the greatest affairs of all time. President Joseph E. Francis, Jr., of the Massachusetts State Elks' association, Joseph N. Shafer, editor of the Eastern Elks, James H. Nicholson, past grand exalted ruler, and other honored luminaries of the east are expected to attend.

Mr. McCarron has made an enviable record in Elksdom and is looked to for even greater things. With the national reputation of the order to be held in the city of Boston next year it is felt on all sides that he will bear watching as a prospective appointee to some higher office.

Another matter that is occupying the minds of members of Lowell lodge is the state association banquet at the Coliseum-Plaza, which is to be coupled with a reception to the present grand exalted ruler, James E. Donnelly, exalted leading knight of Lowell lodge, has charge of local phases of the fair and ticket and table reservations through him. Fair femininity will be out in numbers for this dinner, to be followed by dancing until after midnight, and which promises to be one of the most colorful social events of 1924.

FRATERNAL NEWS

The joint committee of Knights of Pythias of this city met last night to discuss plans for the diamond jubilee of the order. P. C. Elmer D. Robinson, of the order, presided. The committee decided to hold the jubilee in Liberty hall, celebrating the jubilee on Feb. 20, tentatively, and on Feb. 21, tentatively, and on Feb. 22, tentatively. The committee also decided to hold a grand ball on Feb. 20, tentatively, and on Feb. 21, tentatively, and on Feb. 22, tentatively. The committee also decided to hold a grand ball on Feb. 20, tentatively, and on Feb. 21, tentatively, and on Feb. 22, tentatively.

HIGHLAND CHURCH BUSINESS MEETING

The annual business meeting of the Highland church was held last evening, preceded by a supper for the members of the parish, served under the direction of Mrs. Clarence McCoy, Mrs. Harrison Bean and Mrs. Arthur Garland, assisted by ladies of the church.

At the business meeting which followed, Rev. Richard Peters presided. Resolutions and letters from non-resident members were read, and the budget for the coming year discussed. In the budget, allowance was made for an increase in the salary of the pastor, Rev. Mr. Peters, and in several of the lines of church work.

ROBBED BY GUNMEN

Boston Taxi Man Then Ordered to Drive to Pawtucket

BOSTON, Jan. 24.—A forced journey at pistol point from Norwood to Pawtucket, R. I., was the experience last night of Baldwin Rasmuth, a taxi cab chauffeur, he told his comrades today on his return from Pawtucket. Two armed men held him up and robbed him, Rasmuth said, and then pressed him into service as their driver. He declared he was threatened with instant death should he stop or call a policeman.

JOLLY GIRLS CLUB

The Jolly girls club held its meeting last evening at the home of Mrs. C. Lane, 176 Liberty street. Following the business meeting the members enjoyed a radio concert. A musical program in which Miss Helen Kirk, Lila Jolley and Frances Goshman participated was also enjoyed. Miss Winnie Scott entertained with a reading. Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Miss Helen Arundine and Miss Julia Lane.

NEED SECOND SACKER

Unless Detroit lands a capable sacker, there is hardly a chance for Cobb to finish as high as second this year.

CONFERENCE ON STRIKE FALLS THROUGH

LONDON, Jan. 24.—(By the Associated Press)—The proposed conference between the railway managers and the engineers for discussion of the issues involved in the present strike, has fallen through, and J. Bromley, secretary of the Associated Society of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen, announced this afternoon that he "regretted" that the strike must continue.

U. S. SKATERS THREATEN TO WITHDRAW

CHAMONIX, France, Jan. 24.—(By the Associated Press)—The American skaters entered for the speed events in the Olympic competitions here beginning Saturday threatened today to refrain from competing in Saturday's events, owing to a dispute over the number of rubbers and handlers to be admitted to their dressing rooms.

DETECTIVE KILLED BY BANDIT

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Jan. 24.—Stephen Kendall, a detective, was shot and killed when he engaged in a revolver duel with a bandit who robbed a gasoline filling station here last night. The bandit escaped, but is believed to have been wounded.

BASKET FACTORY DESTROYED BY FIRE

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., Jan. 24.—The West River Basket Co.'s basket factory and contents in Williamsville, were burned late last night, causing a loss of \$10,000. The property was owned by E. H. Richardson and C. D. Lazelle, who carried small insurance. It is thought the fire started from a hot box, breaking out after smoldering several hours. Finished baskets burned rapidly as there was no means of fighting the flames. The company employed 15 men.

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Brush Wool Mufflers
"MUNSINGWEAR" HEAVY RIBBED UNION SUITS

SEMI-LINED FUR GLOVES
SILK KNITTED NECKWEAR

IMPORTED WOOL HOSE
SCOTCH WOOL LINED GLOVES
GOVERNMENT WOOL HOSE

LINED LEATHER GLOVES
FLEECE LINED UNDERWEAR
HEAVY RIBBED UNDERWEAR

HARRISON'S

166 CENTRAL ST.

WATCH NEW PREMIER'S CONDUCT OF BRITISH FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Recent Denunciation of "Pompous Folly" of Withholding Full Recognition of Soviet Russia Prepares Country for Early Action in That Direction

LONDON, Jan. 24.—(By the Associated Press)—The conduct of British foreign affairs under Prime Minister MacDonald will be watched with interest by observers of international political events, especially in view of the number of complicated issues that are awaiting adjustment.

Mr. MacDonald's recent denunciation of the "pompous folly" of withholding full recognition of Soviet Russia, by the new government in that direction, and it is stated unofficially that James O'Grady, M.P., is already being considered for the position of British ambassador to Moscow. Mr. O'Grady, who holds one of the Leeds seats in the house of commons, has made a study of Russian affairs. He visited Moscow officially in 1917 and again in 1922 in connection with the trade union famine relief movement.

The new prime minister's interest in the League of Nations is well known, and according to the diplomatic correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, he contemplates an expansion of the league section of the foreign office in order to use it to the utmost as an instrument of general pacification. For this reason, according to the writer, Mr. MacDonald means to devote every effort toward the early inclusion of Germany and Russia in the league.

The Daily Telegraph also asserts that the premier has invited Lord Curzon, the last president of the council, to represent Great Britain on the league council replacing Viscount Cecil of Chelwood—until recently Lord Robert Cecil—who is retiring.

Contrary to the general belief and to what is supposed to have been his own intention originally, Mr. MacDonald, said the Daily Mail, has decided to fill his appointments to the royal household with members of his own party, and Tom Griffin, member of parliament for Pontypool and J. A. Parkinson, representing Wigan, probably will receive the posts of treasurer and controller of the household, respectively.

The appointment of Miss Margaret Bondfield to the secretaryship of the ministry of labor, thus making her the first woman to have a place in the British government, is very favorably received. There is some surprise that Miss Bondfield did not get a position of cabinet rank, but it is said that she herself did not wish this distinction.

Appoint to India
BOMBAY, British India, Jan. 24.—

CONFERENCE ON STRIKE FALLS THROUGH

LONDON, Jan. 24.—(By the Associated Press)—The proposed conference between the railway managers and the engineers for discussion of the issues involved in the present strike, has fallen through, and J. Bromley, secretary of the Associated Society of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen, announced this afternoon that he "regretted" that the strike must continue.

U. S. SKATERS THREATEN TO WITHDRAW

CHAMONIX, France, Jan. 24.—(By the Associated Press)—The American skaters entered for the speed events in the Olympic competitions here beginning Saturday threatened today to refrain from competing in Saturday's events, owing to a dispute over the number of rubbers and handlers to be admitted to their dressing rooms.

DETECTIVE KILLED BY BANDIT

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Jan. 24.—Stephen Kendall, a detective, was shot and killed when he engaged in a revolver duel with a bandit who robbed a gasoline filling station here last night. The bandit escaped, but is believed to have been wounded.

BASKET FACTORY DESTROYED BY FIRE

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., Jan. 24.—The West River Basket Co.'s basket factory and contents in Williamsville, were burned late last night, causing a loss of \$10,000. The property was owned by E. H. Richardson and C. D. Lazelle, who carried small insurance. It is thought the fire started from a hot box, breaking out after smoldering several hours. Finished baskets burned rapidly as there was no means of fighting the flames. The company employed 15 men.

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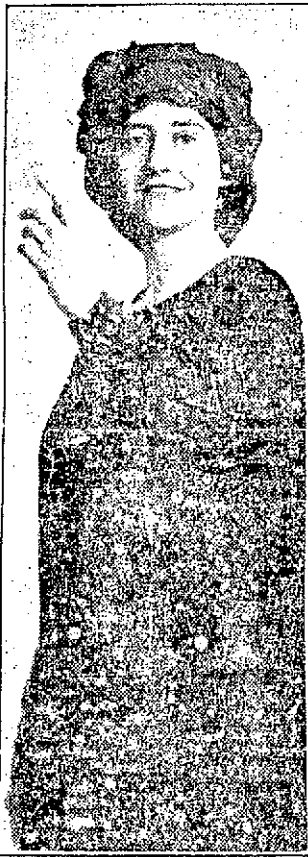
Shepard's Colonial Orchestra of Boston and Miner-Doyle's Orchestra of Lowell

MANY ATTEND SERVICES

Woman Evangelist Talks to
Big Audiences at Central
Baptist Church

Large audiences of men, women and children have been filling the auditorium of Central Baptist church after-noon and evening daily except Saturday, since the arrival of Victoria Booth-Clibborn Demarest, woman evangelist and granddaughter of General William Booth founder of the Salvation Army. The services are to continue for three weeks, but there will be no Saturday rallies. The after-noon services begin at 2 o'clock daily and Sunday, except on Saturday.

Yesterday the services were attended by large congregations both after-noon and evening. The evangelist belongs to a family of women preachers known throughout the world. She is a descendant of Catherine Booth of Salvation Army fame. To an eminent de-

VICTORIA BOOTH-CLIBBORN
DEMAREST

free she possesses the gifts and graces of the Booth ancestry.

Mrs. Demarest was second born in a family of ten children, five sons and five daughters all living and eight of them today preaching the gospel. While the Booth-Clibborn family was in Holland, Victoria began conducting meetings for children, though herself only a child.

When 18 years of age, the girl received in Paris her French brevet and a diploma. She studied music for a while, then turned to evangelism. Returning to England, she joined her mother and assisted her in great religious campaigns, afterward conducting meetings of her own. She had charge of evangelistic campaigns in Germany in 1913 and later came to America, accompanied by her mother, and has ever since worked along religious pathways on this continent.

Mrs. Demarest has preached from coast to coast of the United States and Canada and as far south as Texas. Much of her campaign work has been conducted in union organizations.

Arrangements are now being made for a special lecture "for women only," at an afternoon date to be announced. The subject will be "The Virgin Mary." Next Sunday afternoon, at Central Baptist church at 3 o'clock, Mrs. Demarest will give a special sermon on the topic "The Lily."

The evangelist is accompanied by her husband, Arnew Demarest, son of a graduate of Princeton theological seminary, who descended from a famous Huguenot family. Mr. Demarest has devoted much time to music and is an organist of rare ability. He has a baritone voice.

Mr. and Mrs. Demarest have been invited by Rev. Percy E. Thomas to hold one evangelistic meeting in the First Congregational church and the offer has been accepted, date to be announced later.

A Stubborn Cough
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This home-made remedy is a wonder for quick results. Easily and cheaply made.

Here is a home-made syrup which millions of people have found to be the most dependable means of breaking up stubborn coughs. It is cheap and simple, but very prompt in action. Under its healing soothing influence, chest becomes easy, phlegm loosens, breathing becomes easier, tickling in throat stops and you get a good night's restful sleep. The usual throat and chest colds are conquered by it in 24 hours or less. Nothing better for bronchitis, hoarseness, croup, throat tickle, bronchial asthma or winter coughs.

To make this splendid cough syrup, pour 2 1/2 ounces of Pine into a quart bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup and shake thoroughly. If you prefer, use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup. There way, you get a full pint—a family supply—of much better cough syrup than you could buy ready-made for three times the money. Keeps perfectly and children love its pleasant taste.

Pine is a special and highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, known the world over for its prompt healing effect upon the membranes.

To avoid disappointment, ask your druggist for "2 1/2 ounces of Pine" with full directions, and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money promptly refunded. The Pine Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

MIDDLESEX FAIR BUREAU
Middlesex fair bureau directors
rate selections for 1924 have just been issued. Appointments made to cover county towns in proximity to the city of Lowell are as follows: Miss Edna Cutler, Braintree, second vice president; L. W. Goldthwaite, Danvers; Arthur

W. Colburn, Braintree; C. Varnum Flagg, Littleton, members of executive committee; S. H. Graham, Burlington; Oscar Darbo, Billerica; E. E. Palkon, Jr., Chelmsford; R. R. Bates, Carlisle; Arthur W. Colburn, Braintree; L. W. Goldthwaite and Walter H. Saville, covering official berths were surprised to learn today that John A. Barrington

bury, Everett Twombly, Tyngsboro; W. Otis Day, Westford, directors.

CANDIDATE FOR SELECTMAN
Billerica voters interested in the coming town election campaign for covering official berths were surprised to learn today that John A. Barrington

STORM WARNING

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The weather bureau today issued the following storm warning: "Advisory, 10 a. m.—Southeast storm warning displayed on the Atlantic coast at and south of Delaware Breakwater and on the East Gulf coast at and east of Pensacola, Fla. Disturbance central this morning over southeastern Louisiana.

SALE OF Imported Wool Hose
A famous New York importer was recently stocked on Winter Hose. We bought, and offer three groups at
\$1.55 \$2.45 \$3.95

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**\$39.50, \$49.50, \$59.50,
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A few of the many remarkable values:
Pile Fabric Coats, with Beaver collar....**\$39.50**

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Lustrous, Velveteen and Gerona Coats, with collars and cuffs of Beaver, Fox and Squirrel.
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25 Exclusive Coats, trimmed with fur. Were \$149.50 to \$169.50. Now.....**\$98.50**

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Only a few fur trimmed suits, misses' sizes and small women to sizes 38.

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Trimmed with Fox, Wolf, Squirrel and Beaver.

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One hundred and ten Sport Skirts. Wrap-around styles, in novelty camel hair effects, tan and checks. Finely tailored.

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MID-SEASON WOOLEN SALE ENDS SATURDAY
AT 9 P. M.

\$4.49 Skirting, all wool,
\$2.25

\$5.98 Coating, all wool, **\$3.98**

\$5.49 Bolivia, all wool, **\$3.40**

\$8.25 Velmar Coating,
\$5.50

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There is a fascination in the tilt of every picture hat; the graceful trailing of tilted feathers, the saucy up-tilt of tiny brims, for these are the New Hats, the Smart Hats, that are going to be worn this Spring.

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TWO BODIES PICKED UP

Mexican Rebels Report Bodies of Radio Men From U. S. Cruiser Tacoma Found

Victims Were Knocked Overboard From Warship—Bodies Being Sent to U. S.

DALLAS, Tex., Jan. 24.—An official communication from the De la Huerta rebel forces broadcast from Vera Cruz last night, and picked up by the Dallas News radio station, stated that the bodies of the two radio men knocked overboard from the United States cruiser Tacoma have been recovered and are being sent to the United States.

An Associated Press despatch received here by radio from Vera Cruz says that Captain Sparrow and the two radio men were drowned when knocked from the boat by a falling smokestack in the storm of Sunday and Monday. An officer also was reported to have disappeared in the seas during the storm, says the Vera Cruz despatch.

The northern strack the Tacoma about noon Sunday after warnings had been given Captain Sparrow and the crew. The captain and 19 men remained aboard. Tugboats attempting to float the Tacoma, had to leave work because of the storm and the boat was driven onto reefs. Captain Sparrow and the men were attempting to repair the radio equipment knocked overboard, according to the Vera Cruz information.

What happened on the Tacoma was unknown on shore until Tuesday when a pilot boat was able to reach the cruiser. All members of the Tacoma's crew now have left the boat. Some have slight wounds and injuries.

JUMPED FROM ENGINE

Engineer and Fireman Jump to Safety When Steam Tube Bursts in Boiler

The engineer and fireman of a Boston & Maine locomotive were compelled to jump to safety from the cab of the engine early this morning when a steam tube running the length of the boiler burst and blew live steam back into the fire pit, the steam in turn blowing the fire out into the cab. Neither of the men was injured except for a few scratches received when they landed on a pile of cinders beside the track.

The accident occurred shortly before 3 o'clock this morning. The locomotive was hauling an extra freight train from northern points towards Boston. As the train neared the Six Arch bridge, the steam tube burst and the engine crew jumped. The coals from the fire pit ignited the cab of the engine and a telephone alarm was sent in to the fire department by a resident of that section. Upon the arrival of the apparatus it was found the fire was slight and only chemicals were needed to extinguish it.

At the B. & M. engine house this morning nothing could be learned of the identity of the crew but that they belonged in Concord, N. H. The engine is now at the Lowell roundhouse and will be sent to the Billerica car shops for repairs. No estimate concerning the extent of the damage to the locomotive could be made this morning.

MAYOR ASKED TO NAME APPLICANTS

Mayor John J. Donovan has been asked by Maj. Gen. Andrew W. Brewster, commanding the First Corps Area, to name one or more young men as applicants for enrollment at the Citizens' Military Training camp to be held at Devens, Aug. 1 to 31. It is desired to have the 1924 quota filled on or before April 15. The mayor named two young men last year, Richard G. Welch of Andover street and James Brennan of Hampshire street.

WINTER CARNIVAL PLANS

Representatives from all the grammar schools in the city will be a part of the large and comprehensive committee that the Lowell Advertising club is forming to consider plans for the Winter Carnival to be held in this city on Feb. 6 and 7. Those already chosen from the various schools are as follows: Bartlett, Joseph; Duffy, Mary; James, Robert; Butler, Paul; Sullivan, Varnum; Francis, O'Brien; Lincoln, Mary; Kelley, Moody; Mary, Carolyn; Greenhouse, Olga; Schuchert, Lillian; Albert, Green; Blakely, Provost; Riverside, Helen; McEwen, Washington; Helen, Gillette. The teachers who will represent the Edison and Colburn have not yet been appointed.

RECOGNIZES 25 ACTS OF HEROISM

Carnegie Hero Fund Commission Awards Gold, Silver and Bronze Medals

Also Awards \$3350 to Heroes' Dependents and \$11,000 for Other Purposes

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 24.—The Carnegie Hero Fund Commission, at its recent annual meeting here last night, recognized 25 acts of heroism by awarding one gold, three silver and twenty-one bronze medals in addition to \$3,500 a year in pensions to the dependents of 12 of the heroes who lost their lives. The commission also awarded \$3,350 to heroes' dependents to be expended under direction of the commission; \$5,800 for educational purposes; and \$6,000 for other worthy purposes.

Heroes who lost their lives while attempting to save others, including a woman, were:

Helen Gilest, 165 West Main street, Newark, Delaware, killed while attempting to rescue a child from the path of an automobile truck at Newark, Del., on May 23, 1923; bronze medal to her son.

Arthur Washburn Severance, 271 Bridge street, East Bridgewater, Mass., a student, died attempting to rescue a girl from drowning in the Atlantic ocean at North Truro, Mass., on July 14, 1923; bronze medal to his father.

Ferris Oliver, Carlin, Ill., died attempting to save a girl from drowning in the Washburn river at New Haven, Ill., on August 8, 1922; bronze medal to his sister.

Frank L. Van Tilbury, Coesse, Indiana, died while trying to save an aged man from the path of a train at Coesse on March 6, 1923; bronze medal to widow and benefits of \$50 a month.

Greenville E. Crisp, Deale, Texas, died while attempting to save a fellow laborer from suffocating in a well at Brady, Tex., on Sept. 15, 1922; bronze medal to widow and \$50 a month with \$5 a month additional for a daughter.

Walter L. Dye, R. D. 2, Cline, Ill., a farmer, drowned while trying to rescue another farmer from drowning in the Little Washburn river at Goldensgate, Ill., on July 15, 1923; bronze medal to widow and \$50 a month with \$5 a month additional on account of each of three children.

Paul J. McGrain, Ovid, N. Y., died attempting to rescue a fellow laborer from being run down by a train at Grove City, Pa., on October 3, 1923; silver medal to son, who resides with Mrs. Mary E. McGrain, Ovid, N. Y.

Philip A. Cochran, Codyville Plantation, Mo., was fatally injured rescuing three children from burning in a house at Codyville Plantation on July 18, 1921; silver medal to his mother.

Bernard A. Mackey, 118 North Lawton avenue, Tulsa, Okla., fatally injured while trying to save a drifter from burning in an oil well fire at Ranger, Tex., on May 24, 1923; silver medal to his father.

Charles L. Cox, Parkburnett, Texas, died while rescuing two children from a burning house at Parkburnett on Feb. 6, 1922; gold medal to the widow with \$65 a month and \$5 additional on account of each of three children.

The heroic deed of Severance at North Truro, Mass., brought recognition to two other heroes. Albert Goodwin Ferguson, 34 Garrison road, Hingham, Mass., who rescued the girl Severance tried to save was given a bronze medal, while John Hayes Elliott, 45 Bloomfield avenue, Hartford, Conn., who participated in the rescue and also attempted to save another woman at the same time, received a bronze medal.

Other heroes whose names were placed in the records of the commission, were:

Albert M. Clark, Underwood apartment, New York avenue, Atlantic City, N. J., saved a man from drowning and attempted to rescue a girl at Atlantic City, Oct. 1, 1920; bronze medal; James G. Gabelle, 141 West 14th street, New York City, attempted to save a young man from drowning in a lake at Hopfield, Ark., April 21, 1921; bronze medal; Richard W. Sullivan, to Parkton road, Boston, Mass., saved a woman from drowning at Surrey, Me., Aug. 20, 1920; bronze medal; John Miller, 214 West 107th street, Los Angeles, Cal., crossing a woman, attempted to save a man from drowning on the path of a train at Winnetka, Ill., Sept. 1, 1923; bronze medal; George Krohn, 200 Olive street, Evansville, Ind., switched a man and a woman from being killed by a train at Evansville, July 2, 1921; bronze medal; Marshall E. Miller, Hattie City, California, attempted to save a girl and did rescue a man from drowning at Hattie City, June 7, 1918; bronze medal; Porter G. Osh, R. D. Boxville, Kentucky, a mine motorman, saved 21 men from

FUNERAL NOTICES

BRAY—Died Jan. 23 at her home in Chelmsford, Margaret (Holland) Bray, wife of James W. Bray. The funeral will take place Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from the house and a solemn high funeral mass will be sung at 10 o'clock. The burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers James P. McNeill & Sons.

GRIFFITHS—Died in this city, Jan. 22, at her home, 301 Moody street, Mrs. Anna (Judge) Griffiths. The funeral will take place Friday morning at 9 o'clock from the house and there will be a funeral high mass at St. Columba's church at 9 o'clock. The burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. General arrangements are in charge of Undertakers James W. McKenna Sons.

MEHLICH—The funeral of John Mehligh will take place Monday morning at 9 o'clock from the house and there will be a funeral high mass at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. The burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. General arrangements are in charge of Undertakers William Mack.

FUNERALS

RACETTE—The funeral of Maxine Racette took place yesterday from his home, 518 Merrimack street. A solemn high funeral mass was celebrated at St. Jean Baptiste church by Rev. Fr. Fortier, O.M.I., assisted by Rev. Fr. Raymond Baron, O.M.I., as deacon and Rev. Augustin Grelle, O.M.I., as sub-deacon. Among those from out of town to attend the services were: Mrs. Clement Contois of East Hampton, Mass., Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Contois of Worcester, and Mrs. Arthur Brunelle of Holyoke. The choir, under the direction of Organist Rodolphe Pepin, sang Helio A. Vols funeral mass. The deceased during the mass were: Wilfred Jacques, Edith Pepin, Mrs. Maria T'Evell and Rodolphe Pepin. The bearers were: Paul, Emile, Eugenie and Louis Lavigne. Burial was at St. Jean Baptiste cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker Joseph Tremblay.

WRIGHT—The funeral of Mabel Wright took place this morning at 9 o'clock from her late home, 3 Clinton street, and was largely attended by funeral cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church where at 10 o'clock a funeral high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Cornelius McNeely, O.M.I., within the sanctuary of St. Peter's church. The solemn Gregorian chant, the solo being sung by Miss Marie McFarland and Mr. George McFarland. Miss C. Whaley presided at the organ. There was a procession of beautiful floral offerings, and many spiritual benedictions. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church where at 10 o'clock a funeral high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Cornelius McNeely, O.M.I., within the sanctuary of St. Peter's church. The solemn Gregorian chant, the solo being sung by Miss Marie McFarland and Mr. George McFarland. Miss C. Whaley presided at the organ. There was a procession of beautiful floral offerings, and many spiritual benedictions. 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Mihran T. Kabadjian, national secretary, is campaigning for the cause in New England and is to visit Lowell soon, when a rally of Armenian men and women will be held in Armenian republican hall. M. Kabadjian has spoken in other New England cities and various parts of the country outside this territory, and finds that va-



JAQUES' CAPSULES

Advertisers who use The Sun consistently get greater returns on the money invested than through any other Lowell newspaper. There's a reason. The Sun goes into more homes in Lowell and suburbs than any other Lowell paper and ninety per cent of Sun readers read no other Lowell newspaper.

James A. Burbank, 172 Laurence
ave., Lowell, Mass., says:

"Constipation had my system in its grip. I felt clogged and stuffed. Often I would have to fight for breath. My kidneys caused terrible pains across the small of my back and I would have to get up several times every night.

"The medicines that I tried failed to do me a bit of good. Then Green came to my rescue. This wonderful remedy quickly put me on my feet in good shape. I now feel fine. I am stronger and have more energy. I can eat everything without suffering afterwards. And most of all I look a hundred per cent better. And my throat is free of all that trouble. Thank you, Dr. Green, for all that you have done for me. And I hope that every man and woman will benefit by my experience and let it help them."

Green is made from the pure, unadulterated juices of 12 remarkable plants, roots, barks and leaves. Scientifically blended and bottled by the Laboratories of Baltimore, they act directly on the stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels and blood, and tend to relieve constipation, headaches, rheumatism, catarrh, biliousness, dizzy spells, heart fluttering, gas on stomach and indigestion.

Green's is especially introduced by Green's Drug Store, and sold by druggists everywhere.—Adv.



Long before the eighteenth amendment went on our statutes, it was illegal to furnish an Indian liquor. Neither law applies in Paris, where they sip their beer at a boulevard cafe and have no occasion to sigh.



BY DR. C. C. ROBINSON

AVOIDING INFLUENZA

According to latest reports no case of influenza is so far scheduled to appear this winter.

This acute infectious disease in practically all cases involves the respiratory tract, gastro-intestinal and in many persons the nervous system, together with a weakened heart and reduced circulation. It is also peculiarly epidemic (in certain localities) and must constantly be on guard against influenza during the season (winter and early spring). To escape its devastating attack one should always avoid getting a cold, especially if one is not robust.

The gastro-intestinal tract must be carefully attended to avoid any chance of intestinal poisoning. If the digestive tract is kept in a healthy condition by sensible diet and plenty of good drinking water, thus avoiding attacks of constipation, one may be fairly immune. Swollen and inflamed tonsils and adenoid tissue, or poisoning from pus infection at the roots of teeth, may also weaken the system by poisoning the life stream.

Your condition of resistance should

be constantly kept in mind to avoid influenza. Worry and nervous trouble lower your vital powers and weaken the endocrine system.

Beware of the least appearance of sore throat or a beginning dull headache. Don't let any such condition go for even an hour if you can possibly prevent it.

Be sure you get the full required time of sleep. Don't overwork your heart.

The weakened heart spells nervous ailments. These may seriously affect the kidneys and cause depression of the glandular system.

CHICAGO, Jan. 24.—The growing importance of real estate as a vocation is evidenced in the establishment of real estate courses and curriculums in leading universities and colleges, many of them pointed toward degrees, de-

plares the National Association of Real Estate Boards here, which has just completed a survey of the University of Wisconsin, which already is offering many of the courses in the suggested real estate curriculum, expects to put on the two-year course, officials said. "The University of Wisconsin, the University of Chicago and The University of Illinois have become actively interested in real estate education," said the University of Michigan. The University of Michigan is planning to put on the course as soon as possible.

"Northwestern university, through Dean Ralph E. Heilman, representative of the American Collegiate Association on the Joint committee of educators, economic research specialists and realtors, who are working out the

whose outline of real estate education nationally, is at present working on a plan to include a full four-year course in real estate, leading to the regular academic degree. Iowa State college has taken up the selection of instructors.

"The Atlantic School of Technology has adopted the full four years college course. Boston university offers real estate courses under the direction of the Boston real estate exchange; The University of Southern California and the University of California have actively undertaken this branch of vocational preparation. The University of Maryland and the University of Oregon are accumulating material looking to the development of a four year course. The University of Indiana, The University of Arkansas and The College of William and Mary are planning the introduction of a real estate course. Creighton University, St. Louis, and The Southern Methodist University, Dallas, Texas, have or-

ganized real estate courses."
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TWO-DAY AUTO TRIP
Winning members of the 1923 Middlesex county extension service contests in Junior department home work, who will be given a free two-day automobile trip to Massachusetts Agricultural college, July next. Include the following young people from nearby towns: Adolph Polster, Hilderick; Mabel Mawon, Carlisle; Marie Gauthier and Grace Pailgon, Chemsford; Stanley Ogonowski, Dracont; Elsie Hicks, Tewksbury; Richard Lambert and Roy Ekstrom, Tynbrook; Alice Heywood and Angie Profit, Westford.

WASHINGTON—Governor Pinchot's bill proposing drastic federal regulation of the anthracite coal industry, was introduced today by Senator Borah, republican, Idaho and referred to the interstate commerce committee.

OSTROFF'S BIG SALE

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Winter Goods Must Be Sold. Cost of Goods Forgotten. We Must Make Room for Spring Goods That Will Arrive Shortly. Everything Must Be Turned Into Cash. Not a Dollars Worth of My Winter Stock Will I Carry Over For Next Year, if Low Prices Will Sell Them.

Sale Starts FRIDAY MORNING, Jan. 25th, at 9 a. m.

Here Are Samples of Some of the Extraordinary Bargains Offered at This Sale.

Flannelette Shirts, in gray and khaki: \$1.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price, 75c	Heavy Fleece Lined Underwear; \$1.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price 50c	Medium Weight Work Hose; 15c value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 5c Limited, only 3 pairs to a customer.	Heavy Gray Coat Sweaters, with shawl collars and two pockets: \$2.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price \$1.05	"Big Yank" Blue Chambray Work Shirts, two pockets: \$1.15 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 75c	"Sawyer's" Snuggler Beach Jackets, a jacket that is made of pure worsted, and is very closely woven; absolutely \$0.50 value. Clean-up Sale Price, \$3.95
Sheepskin Lined Coats, 4 pockets, leather patched; \$12 value. Clean-up Sale Price \$7.95	"Congress" Heavy Blue Chambray and Khaki Twill Work Shirts: \$1.50 value. Clean-up Sale Price \$1.05	Imported Heather Hose, made in England. Clean- up Sale Price, pair 35c 3 Pairs for \$1.00	Heavy Slip-on Sweaters, in navy and brown, with shawl collars: \$1.75 val- ue. Clean-up Sale Price, 95c	"Congress" Flannelette Shirts, in gray and khaki; \$1.35 value. Clean-up Sale Price 95c	"Chalmers" Extra Heavy Ribbed Union Suits: \$2.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price \$1.45
Heavy Brown Jersey Gloves: 25c value. Clean-up Sale Price 15c	Heavy Ticking Mittens: 25c value. Clean-up Sale Price 15c	Sheepskin Mittens: \$1.25 value. Clean-up Sale Price 75c	Extra Heavy Horsehide Mittens, sheepskin lined: \$3.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price \$1.95	Ladies' Brocade Bandeaux, large sizes only: 33c value. Clean-up Sale Price 12c	Ladies' Pink Coutil Corsets, elastic top and high bust; \$1.50 value. Clean-up Sale Price 95c
Men's "Congress" Extra Heavy Cheviot Dress Shirts, warranted fast color: \$1.15 value. Clean-up Sale Price 2 for \$2.00	Men's "Congress" Very Fine Dress Shirts, warranted fast color: \$2.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... \$1.35	Men's Fine Percale Dress Shirts: \$1.35 value. Clean-up Sale Price 95c	Men's Fine Silk Striped Dress Shirts: \$3.00 value. Clean- up Sale Price \$2.15	Ladies' Pantalette Bloomers, in lingette and sateen, in all the newest shades: \$1.50 value. Clean-up Sale Price 98c	Children's Angora Hats with quills: \$2.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price 75c
Sheepskin Lined Coats \$5.75 and Up	"Chase" Bonded Blue Chambray Work Shirts: \$1.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price 65c	Ladies' Ribbed Underwear: \$1.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price 65c	"Jack Rabbit" Heavy Drill Black and White Striped Work Shirts: \$1.25 value. Clean-up Sale Price..... 75c	Ladies' Flannelette Petticoats: 75c value. Clean-up Sale Price 50c	Children's Hose: 15c value. Clean-up Sale Price 10c
Ladies' Woolen Hose: 75c value. Clean-up Sale Price 45c	Ladies' Bungalow Aprons: \$1.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price 50c	Ladies' Pure Silk Full- fashioned Hose: \$2.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price \$1.23	Ladies' Flannelette Night- gowns: 80c value. Clean- up Sale Price..... 45c	Ladies' Extra Heavy Vests: 98c value. Clean-up Sale Price 50c	Children's Serge Dresses: \$2.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price 98c
Ladies' Pure Silk Full- fashioned Hose: \$2.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price \$1.23	Ladies' Heavy Flannel Bloomers: 75c value. Clean up Sale Price 50c	Ladies' Jersey Drawers, outsize: 75c value. Clean up Sale Price 50c	Ladies' Flannel Nightgowns, embroidered yokes: \$1.50 value. Clean-up Sale Price 95c	Ladies' Very Fine Quality Ribbed Union Suits: \$1.50 value. Clean-up Sale Price 95c	Boys' Twiced Suits, Oliver Twist style: \$3.00 value. Clean- up Sale Price..... \$1.95
Ladies' Woolen Gauntlet Gloves: \$1.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price 95c	Ladies' Heavy Fleece Lined Bloomers: 75c value. Clean- up Sale Price 50c	Ladies' Umbrellas, white handles, white feril and tips; \$1.50 value. Clean-up Sale Price 75c	Ladies' Velvet Hats: \$3 and \$4 values. Clean up Sale Price \$1.00	Children's Velvet, Woolen and Felt Tams: \$1, \$2 and \$3 values. Will go for 50c	Children's Extra Heavy Woolen Heather Hose: \$1.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price 45c
Children's All Wool Slip-on Sweaters: \$2.00 value. Clean- up Sale Price \$1.50	Children's Extra Heavy Sleeping Garments: \$1.25 value. Clean-up Sale Price 89c	Children's Woolen Sport Socks: 25c value. Clean- up Sale Price..... 15c	Children's Extra Heavy Woolen Heather Hose: \$1.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price 45c	Children's All Wool Slip-on Sweaters: \$2.00 value. Clean- up Sale Price \$1.50	Children's Extra Heavy Sleeping Garments: \$1.25 value. Clean-up Sale Price 89c
Children's Serge Dresses: \$2.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price 98c	Babies' Hamburg Trimmed Dresses: \$1.00 value. Clean-up Sale Price 50c	Children's All Wool Slip-on Sweaters: \$2.00 value. Clean- up Sale Price \$1.50	Children's Extra Heavy Sleeping Garments: \$1.25 value. Clean-up Sale Price 89c	Boys' Twiced Suits, Oliver Twist style: \$3.00 value. Clean- up Sale Price..... \$1.95	One Lot of Children's Coats and Dresses, Ladies' Coats and Skirts—Will go for \$1.00
One Large Size Heavy Double Check Blanket, 66x74: \$4.50 value. Clean-up Sale Price \$2.50					

Boys' Leather Fleece Lined
Mittens; 75c value. Clean-up
Sale Price **35¢**

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One Lot of Boys' Suits; \$7.00
and \$8.00 values. Clean-up
Sale Price **\$2.95**

BIG SHOW AT AUDITORIUM

Many Excellent and Attractive Features in "Follies and Frolics of 1924"

Costuming and lighting effects of unusual brilliancy will play no little part in the presentation of the "Follies and Frolics of 1924" in the Auditorium on Friday evening. The Matthew Temperance Institute, in arranging for its annual show, has felt that "Follies and Frolics of 1924" should be given the best setting possible, and with this end in view has directed the costumer and the electrician to go the limit.

The "Follies and Frolics" program has been described, since its publication last week, as the snappiest combination. Every song number listed on the bill is of the sort everyone is anxious to hear, and the singers are decidedly worth while listening to. The dancing specialties, both individual and group dances, cover all



LITTLE MAY CONWAY
In Dance Specialty

of the most attractive branches of the theatrical art, and "Decker" Thornton's shows are considered particularly strong in the department. The variety specialties are unquestionably the best obtainable in the amateur ranks and are one and all deservedly popular.

At the final rehearsal the program is showing a finish that in carrying the director a great deal of satisfaction. Each member of the large cast has acquired a poise and skill that is very creditable to an amateur performer. With the brilliant costuming and capable leadership which will be at their disposal Friday evening the young entertainers may be relied on to carry out Director Thornton's cleverly conceived plans in capital style.

The list of entertainers in the "Follies and Frolics" is hard to match in point of all-around excellence. Prominent among them are: Miss Dorothy Nolan, Mabel Hogan, Madeline McLaughlin, Sadie Sherman, Alice Dacey, Mrs. Alice Hines, George, Little Miss May Conway, Minnie Andrew and Louise Carr, Misses Peggy and Blanche O'Reilly, Edward Donahue, John Hall, John Goggin, John Brady, Charles J. Keres, Charles, George, Sullivan, Daniel Brennan, Thomas Murphy, J. Eugene Mullin, Al Drouin and Horatio B. Leggat. Every name in the list conveys the promise of high-class entertainment.

The advance sale of tickets is very brisk and although the supply is large all who desire to attend should make their reservations at once and avoid disappointment.

BILLERICA BOARD OF REGISTRARS

BillERICA board of registrars will on Saturday next at town hall, from 12 noon to 10 p. m., conduct its final session for the listing of new voters who desire to participate in the coming town meeting. At Tuesday evening's session 47 new names were added to the voter lists. Twenty-two women registered.

Candidates for town offices are to submit their nomination papers to the board of registrars before 6 o'clock tomorrow evening at the town hall. Town meeting day comes on Feb. 9.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION
The annual first grade or clerical examination will be held in this city March 8 according to an announcement made today by the United States Civil Service commission. The examination for bookkeepers will also be held on the same day. These examinations are for positions in the customs, revenue and other federal service in New England. Application blanks and information concerning these examinations may be had from the local secretary at the postoffice, from the district secretary, custom house, Boston. Applications should be filed as early as possible.

Says His Prescription Has Powerful Influence Over Rheumatism

Mr. James H. Allen suffered for years with rheumatism. Many times this terrible disease left him helpless and unable to work.

He finally decided, after years of senseless study, that no one can be free from rheumatism until the accumulated impurities, commonly called uric acid deposits, were dissolved in the joints and muscles and expelled from the body.

With this idea in mind he consulted physicians, made experiments and finally compounded a prescription that quickly and completely banished every sign and symptom of rheumatism from his system.

He freely gave his discovery, which he called Allorhin, to others who took it, with what might be called marvelous success. After years of urging he decided to let sufferers everywhere know about his discovery through the newspapers. He has therefore instructed A. W. Dows and Co. to dispense Allorhin with the understanding that if the first pint bottle does not show the way to complete recovery he will gladly return your money without comment. -Adv.

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Men's and Young Men's TROUSERS

\$3 MEN'S and YOUNG MEN'S WORK TROUSERS Mark-Down Sale Price \$1.69

\$5 Extra Heavy Weight Corduroy Trousers Cuffs and Flaps on Pockets \$3.00

\$5 MEN'S Pencil Stripe, Cassimere and Worsted TROUSERS \$3.00

\$6.50 MEN'S All Wool DRESS TROUSERS Mark-Down Sale Price \$4.00

\$8.50 CUSTOM TAILORED TROUSERS Mark-Down Sale Price \$5.00

FUR COATS

\$15 Men's Sheep Lined COATS Many Have Fur Collars Sizes up to 50 \$9.50

\$20 Men's Sheered Lambs Wool LINED COATS Heavy Moleskin Shell \$12.50

\$75 MARMOT FUR LINED COATS Neaseal Collar Mark-down Sale Price \$39.50

\$250 Selected Full Skins MARMOT LINED COATS Otter Collar. Sale Price \$115

\$45 BLACK DOG—Outside FUR COATS Coon Collar \$24

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Men's and Young Men's OVERCOATS

\$25 ALL WOOL OVERCOATS \$15.50

\$35 PLAID BACK ALL WOOL OVERCOATS \$19.50

\$40 HIGH GRADE PLAID BACK OVERCOATS \$24.00

\$45 HAND MADE PLAID BACK OVERCOATS \$29.00

\$50 All Wool Plaid Back CUSTOM MADE OVERCOATS \$34.00

\$55 \$60 and \$65 High Grade Chinchilla OVERCOATS \$39.50

Men's and Young Men's SUITS

\$25 ALL WOOL PENCIL STRIPE SUITS Mark-Down Sale Price \$14.50

\$30 Men's and Young Men's All Wool SUITS Mark-Down Sale Price \$17.50

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\$40 Men's and Young Men's High Grade SUITS ALL STYLES—ALL FABRICS \$24.50

\$45 MEN'S CUSTOM TAILORED SUITS Mark-Down Sale Price \$29.50

\$50 MEN'S and YOUNG MEN'S SUITS Mark-Down Sale Price \$34.50

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\$10 BOYS' SHEEP LINED COATS Heavy Moleskin Shell—Beaverized Lamb Collars. Sizes 8 to 20 Years. Sale Price \$5.90

\$12.50 BOYS' HIGH GRADE OVERCOATS Mark-Down Sale Price \$8.50 Sizes 4 to 10 Years.

\$15 BOYS' All Wool Worsted Lined OVERCOATS Sizes 10 to 18 Years Mark-Down Sale Price \$9.95

\$20 BOYS' ALL WOOL OVERCOATS Sizes 10 to 18 Years \$12.50

BOYS' SUITS

\$7.50 BOYS' ALL WOOL SUITS Full Lined Pants. Sizes 4 to 18 Years. Mark-Down Sale Price \$4.95

\$10 BOYS' ALL WOOL SUITS Full Lined "Knickers" Sizes 8 to 18 Years. Mark-Down Sale Price \$6.75

\$12.50 BOYS' ALL WOOL 2-PANTS SUITS Fancy Scotches and Cassimeres. Sizes 8 to 18 Years. Mark-Down Sale Price \$7.95

\$18 BOYS' All Wool BLUE SERGE 2 SUITS Sizes 7 to 18 Years Mark-Down Sale Price \$10.50

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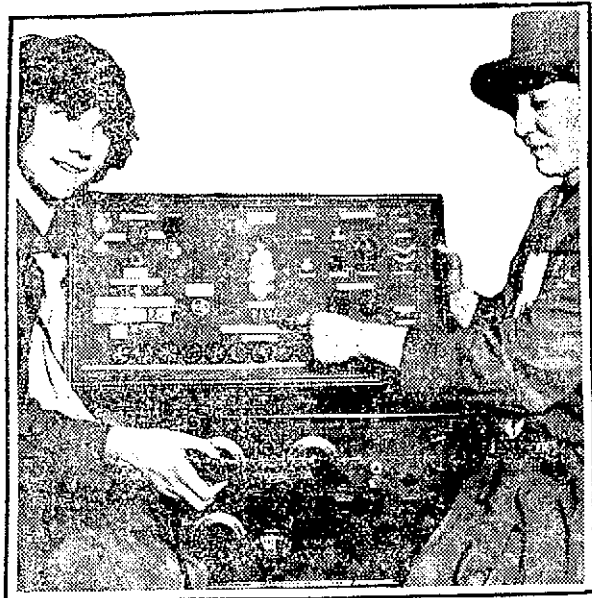
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Radio Photographs

Girl Scouts of Country Hold Record Club Meetings by "Listening In"



TWO GIRL SCOUTS ATTENDING A RADIO MEETING, HEARING A LECTURE ON MERIT BADGES.

(By N.E.A. Service)
PUPSTON, Jan. 24.—Honors for the greatest regular attendance at weekly club meetings, of all organizations in the world, may safely be awarded to a new group of Girl Scouts.

They meet 1,000 of them by radio. It is a new idea, originated by Laura P. Holland, scout director here, who began giving out her instructions for such a "troop" through broadcast station KDKA at East Pittsburgh, near here.

Today the largest single troop of Girl Scouts is to be found, not in the nearest city, but scattered throughout the country, wherever the ether waves of KDKA strike. It consists especially of girls tucked away in the isolated regions of the country, where there are never enough within hailing distance to form a troop.

Now these girls assemble every Monday evening at their radio sets and hear the lectures on merit badges, the instructions on the various points of the Scout law, and the other routine of troop meetings. Instead of personal instructions from a local scout leader, these girls listen in on the instructions broadcast from KDKA.

Had Headaches and Backache
Mrs. Blair Knew That Thin Blood Caused Her Trouble and She Found the Remedy

This blood, or anemia, is the cause of much headache, backache and disorders of the digestion. These symptoms disappear when the blood is built up. Mrs. Joseph Blair, of No. 73 Chandler street, Worcester, Mass., on telling her experience with anemia says: "A number of years ago my health began to break down and each year found me in a worse condition. I was very thin, pale, and listless. Very often I had headaches and a severe pain in my back. My sleep was restless and did not refresh me."

"I took a great number of blood tonic as I knew that I must build up my system. Generally before I could get well. Finally Dr. Williams' Pink Pills were brought to my attention by a friend and I decided to try them. The first box proved them the right tonic."

"The first good result was a decided improvement in my appetite. I began to sleep well and was not nearly so nervous. I felt very much better than I have in a long time and gave the credit to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I am always glad to give this tonic a word of praise."

Your own druggist can sell you a box containing two weeks' treatment with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for sixty cents. If your blood is thin start this treatment today. Write to the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for the booklet, "Building Up the Blood." It will cost you nothing. — Adv.

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gram of bugle calls and marches.
8:20 p. m.—Arthur Murray in dancing lessons, assisted by Jack Le Roy and his orchestra.
9:15 p. m.—Program by the Haydn Ladies' club.
10:10 p. m.—Wedding Hall.

WJZ, NEW YORK
3 p. m.—Auditorium concert.
4 p. m.—The Natural Equipment of the Body, by Dr. Charles E. Bennett.
4:15 p. m.—Recited by Mrs. John Dalton.
5 p. m.—Catholic Strain, poems.
5:30 p. m.—Closing market reports.
7 p. m.—Children's stories.
7:45 p. m.—The world's work.
8 p. m.—Organ recital.
9 p. m.—Adventures in Scandinavia, by Wirt W. Varotz.
9:15 p. m.—Recited by Margaret Macnab.
9:45 p. m.—Concert by Vincent Comella, pianist.
10:30 p. m.—Dance program by the Hotel Commodore orchestra.

AT THE NORMAL SCHOOL

Interesting Lecture on "The Old Phenology and the New Psychology"

A denial of the ability of physiologists, physiologists and psychologists to truthfully read character and an explanation of modern psychology were the features of an address given yesterday afternoon at the Normal school by Prof. Charles A. Colburn of the department of applied psychology of Boston university. Prof. Colburn's lecture was the second of a series on the general topic, "The Psychology of the Individual," and his subject was "The Old Phenology and the New Psychology."

Prof. Colburn first described his work at Boston university as teaching others how to know other people, not by feeling their "humps" or any other such slight-of-hand performance, but by modern psychology. This teaches a thorough knowledge of oneself before any attempt at the reading of another's character is made.

The history of psychology was briefly traced by him from the time when the first man began to wonder concerning his creation down to the present time. Aristotle, he said, was the first of the old philosophers to experiment with psychology. He told of the waves of belief in astrology, in the 14th, 15th and 16th centuries, when the people honestly believed a person's future could be foretold by the position of the stars and planets at the time of birth. Even today, he added, some people believe in this and willingly answer advertisements stating that a complete horoscope will be sent upon receipt of the date of birth.

Phrenology was introduced in the 18th century by W. J. Gall and was based, according to Prof. Colburn, upon medical experiments of that time concerning the discovery that certain faculties are centered in certain portions of the brain. Working from this discovery, Gall decided that the bumps on the head were caused by abnormal development of certain brain centers and by locating the brain centers covered by the bumps, a person's character could be foretold. To disprove this theory, Prof. Colburn stated that medical men know that the brain tissue is not strong enough to have any part in shaping the bones of the skull. He also spoke of the discovery of the Vagus and other nerves and the fact that these discoveries have been exploited as cure-alls.

The idea of reading a person's character by following the lines of the hand was also attacked by Prof. Colburn. Phrenology, he said, is an interesting game for a house party, but outside of that is "bunk." He argued, however, that considerable could be learned of a person's characteristics by a study of the shape of the hand, the fingernails, and marks of labor.

A refined type of phrenology that is being practiced now, he said, and that has as one of its greatest exponents Catherine Blackford of Boston, is not phrenology but physiognomy. In the use of this attention is paid not only to the shape of the head but to the contour of the face, the nose, the color of the hair and eyes, the squareness of the chin and the texture of the skin.

Miss Blackford, he said, certainly is a great reader of character, due to her great experience in meeting people, but she injured her art in attempting to teach others her methods who were not of as great experience in meeting people.

As an example of the fallacy of physiognomy, Prof. Colburn said one thing taught by them is never to employ a red-haired girl as a bookkeeper or for any other work where the girl will be confined to a desk, but to employ them in positions where they continually meet people, as this is their particular forte. Everyone knows, he said, that this has been proven incorrect many times.

In his explanation of the present day psychology, Prof. Colburn explained the methods used by him in reading character, claiming that the present day psychology, introduced in this country in 1890 by James, is based on four and laboratory tests. He likened the laboratory to a river at the beginning of a small brook, but possessing great potentialities, then gradually growing larger as we grow older, until the size of 20 is reached. From that time on for a great many years the brook grows no larger, but continually keeps getting higher, then, in old age, it begins to shrink in size, the coming of "second childhood."

To examine the mind, he said, he must know the environment in which the person has lived and must also know something of the individual tendencies, as these two form the main elements in character. Next come tests to decide what part of the subject's decisions are actuated by intellect and what part by the emotions.

TOWN OF DRACUT NOTICE TO VOTERS

All persons claiming the right to vote in the coming town election and desiring to be registered as voters are hereby notified to appear before the Board of Registrars of Voters and present evidence of their qualifications, at a session to be held as follows, to wit:

At the Dracut Town Office, Dracut Centre, Saturday, Jan. 25, from 12 noon to 10 p. m.
AUGUST B. BRYANT,
HARRY M. FOX,
FRED H. BODDY,
JOHN W. BRENNAN,
Board of Registrars of Dracut.

Augusta Lady Gives Details of Recovery



Mrs. EVA ARBOUR

Mrs. Eva Arbour, highly esteemed resident of 7 Bond street, Augusta, Me., is another to whom the Tanlac treatment has, to use her own words, "restored the joys of good health."

In giving the facts of her experience Mrs. Arbour said: "After six years suffering from indigestion I did not have strength and energy left to do my shopping. I scarcely ate enough to keep soul and body together and was pale as a ghost. When I began taking Tanlac I was so run-down, weak and nervous I could hardly walk to the store across the street."

"It was two years ago that I took Tanlac and I have not had a sick day since. I gained seventeen pounds and it made my cheeks like roses. My husband says I look better than I ever did, and I don't believe a person could feel any better than I do since taking Tanlac."

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Take Tanlac Vegetable Pills.

From tests made in the psychological laboratories, he said, a person should respond half to the intellect and half to the emotions. Then come tests to determine the subject's desires, habits, ideals, disposition, and rationality, all of which result from environment and inherited tendencies actuated either by the emotional or intellectual development of the brain. Following these tests, he said in conclusion, the modern psychologist is able to give a fairly accurate reading of the subject's character and to instruct him in the line of endeavor suited for his temperament.

RED TRIANGLE MEN DEFEAT VISITORS

Dormitory residents of the Lawrence Y.M.C.A. paid a social visit to local "Y" dorm men last night and enjoyed a supper served by Mrs. Valentin Wilmet at the association building. Mayor Archibald D. Grant of the Red Triangle Village presided at the dinner and with Dormitory Secretary Burpee Harward made welcome to the guests.

Following the meal, competition in chess, checkers, bowling and billiards ensued, the local "Y" winning all events. A return engagement in Lawrence is planned for a month hence.

HOUSE WARMING SOCIAL

Employees of the Merrimack Manufacturing company held a merry party last evening at the home of Overseer Ralph A. Cote in Whitney avenue. It was a house-warming social in honor of the overseer, who recently moved into his new home in Centerville. A stormy evening rendered Mr. Cote the visitors. Refreshments were served by the host.

Cocoon Oil Fine For Washing Hair

If you want to keep your hair in good condition, be careful what you wash it with.

Many soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much free alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle and is very harmful. Multisud coconut oil shampoo, which is pure and entirely greaseless, is much better than anything else you can use for shampooing, as this cannot possibly injure the hair.

Simply moisten your hair with water and rub it in. Two or three teaspoonfuls will make an abundance of rich, creamy lather, and cleanse the scalp and scalp thoroughly. The lather rinses out easily and removes every particle of dirt, dandruff and excess oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves it fine and silky, bright, fluffy, wavy and easy to manage.

You can get Multisud coconut oil shampoo at any drug store. It is inexpensive, and a few ounces will last everyone in the family for months.—Adv.

You Big Stiff KNEE—Watch Your Finish

stiff, swollen, inflamed, rheumatic joints should be treated with a remedy made for just that purpose only. Remember the name of this new discovery is Jointase and it will take out the acute reduce the swelling and limber up any troubled joint after ordinary laxative have miserably failed. Just rub it on. See a tube at Green's Drug Store, Fred Howard, 1005, the Dracut Fairbank Bldg., and all druggists ask for Jointase.—Adv.

Jerra-Bee Brilliantine

Will make your hair look healthy and fine. Just rub a little and you get the shine.

—SOLD AT—
THE McKEON SHOP
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The Women's, Misses' and The Grey Shops—Children's and Infants' Wear
—The Entire Second Floor
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Starting Friday, 8.30 a. m.

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To Sell Out the Entire Stock
Nothing reserved—Every garment to go—The lowest prices Lowell ever knew.

2000 WOMEN

Will Buy Wool and Silk Dresses
Many are of the better kind—Dresses for less than cost of materials.

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To own either one would make any woman proud—Will be sold for less than actual wholesale cost.

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OF EVERY ARTICLE—WEARABLES—SIZES 2 TO 8.

Underwear — Blouses — Rompers
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In fact anything that children and infants wear.

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CHALIFOUX'S SECOND FLOOR

LOWELL MADE TEXTILES IN THE LIMELIGHT

Lowell-made textiles are leading the procession of New England mill cloth offerings for the 1924 fall season. "Forward" is the motto today.

The best news of the New Year's thus far coming to Lowell, bringing tidings of much promise to all local textile manufacturing concerns, comes to The Sun today for public announcement.

It reveals a comprehensive step forward in a nation-wide campaign for new business in the production of exclusive and highly desirable Lowell-made fabrics. It may be said to clear away some of the clouds of uncertainty that have been hovering closely over several local cloth fabric producing establishments in this city for the past four months.

Announcements issued broadcast yesterday through the wholesale textile goods house of Catlin & Co., New York city, describe in detail a wealth of brand-new lines of varied and attractive new napped goods and blankets of quality Lowell production exclusively, for fall season delivery this year.

The formal announcements, now being circulated by conservative trade channels in all leading cities of the country and abroad, cover all new lines of goods marked "1924 selections" and offered exclusively by Tremont & Suffolk mills, Hamilton Manufacturing company and the Appleton company, all represented by Catlin & company.

The Sun is informed that New England textile interests are not worrying about southern mill competition in quality fabrics and special novelty cloths as they have been reported to be. In fact, today, with broadening markets, many leading wholesalers prefer New England textiles, even at prices that appear to be high at present quotations.

As a matter of fact, the new prices placed on the Lowell-made napped goods and blankets for fall deliveries are not so high as they were expected to be, and there is said to be an "even quotation" on all new offerings that will compete easily with similar products listed anywhere in the country.

Lowell's new products, opened for inspection and sale in New York wholesale marts yesterday, cover all the lines of napped goods and blankets manufactured by the local mills named. Catlin & Co. are to be the sole selling agents.

Included in the offerings are the products of the Tremont & Suffolk mills, Hamilton Manufacturing company, Appleton company and also the Florence mills. The following new lines are being shown for the first time—new Lowell-manufactured products exclusively:

4-4 "Sun-apple," product of the Appleton company, included in the offering is a full line napped offering of lights and darks for the jobbing trade.

4-4 "M.D." and 3-4 "M.D." products of the Tremont & Suffolk mills. These goods are also offered in full lines for inspection and include many lights and greys for jobbers' selections.

The Hamilton showings are up to Catlin requirements in the well known name, as a leader. The famous napped goods are said to be strengthening everywhere and Lowell mills have taken an important step forward in being

"COMMUNITY DAY" IN BILLERICA

"Community Day" will be observed in Billerica Centre tomorrow, with an all-day program of entertainment and interesting discussions arranged by the Middlesex county extension service bureau. Basket luncheons will be in order at noontime, members bringing their own food. The town director is Edward F. Dickinson, who announces the following program:

"Control of Poultry Diseases," Prof. W. C. Monahan, M.A.C. "Profitable Orchard Management," C. B. Tillson, county agent. "Making the Kitchen a Convenient and Pleasant Workshop," Miss Elizabeth Hendry. "Breeding for Profitable Egg Production," Prof. Monahan. "The 1924 Apple Spray Schedule," C. B. Tillson. "Planning Three Meals a Day," Miss Hendry. Discussion of Billerica's 1924 program for agricultural improvement.

BOY SCOUTS SENIOR COURT OF HONOR

The senior court of honor of the Lowell council of the Boy Scouts of America, will meet on the evening of Tuesday, Jan. 29, for the purpose of conducting an examination for the promotion of scouts to higher grades, and for the awarding of merit badges for proficiency.

The hike held on Saturday last under the direction of Scout Executive Mellon and two of the scoutmasters was attended by over 50 boys, who hiked out to Dracut where scout games were played and tests given in the outdoor requirements for promotion.

During the past year 90 merit badges were awarded in Lowell and 66 more boys become eligible for these by passing the 1st class scout test. It is hoped that there will be twice this number in 1924.

preparing to bid for orders for fall delivery at this time, in the opinion of many manufacturers.

Reports from New York today announce that many of the new lines of Lowell-made showings are replete with new and novel designs and patterns, and the buyers who visited the salesrooms on the first day's showing, passed many commendatory remarks and placed "a heavy volume of business."

A very significant fact dominating the present napped goods markets is that the Tremont & Suffolk and the Appleton mills offer new lines that will fit into popular-priced ranges for narrow cloths and approximate more nearly the sub-count cloths that have been made so freely of late years in southern mills. The prices of these new goods offered by Lowell textile agents have given rise to quite as much comment as the fact that old prices have been continued in standard lines.

The variety in the Tremont & Suffolk, Appleton and Hamilton lines by Catlin & Co. also is noteworthy in showing the intention of these sellers to make much more attractive offerings for a wider clientele than is usually served by the standard eastern mills, including Lowell.

From the offering of Lowell's new products and the tendering of more new narrow goods in napped fabrics, it is apparent that Lowell mills are not going to give away to the south in a hurry in these finished lines.

RECONSTRUCTION OF AN ANCIENT HIGHWAY

Lowell chamber of commerce is a partner in the latest campaign started by Worcester chamber of commerce and citizens of numerous Worcester and Middlesex county towns, for the reconstruction of the five-mile ancient highway running from the town of Littleton to the town of Harvard.

The building of a new highway over the present antiquated and unimproved

route that leads southwestward from the Boston-Littleton-Ayer state highway just west of the village of Littleton, would make it more convenient for motorists travelling from Lowell and Boston to New Hampshire points every month in the year. The proposed rebuilding of the "shortest" road now existing, would shorten the distance between Littleton and northern points and also give Lowell motorists an easier, straight-through line not only to northern points, but to the Mohawk trail in the western part of Massachusetts.

A formal petition is now being circulated among the citizens of the towns where the new highway is desired. Scores of farmers and residents along

the road between Littleton and Harvard are attaching their names to the paper.

The matter was first called to the attention of Lowell chamber of commerce about three years ago, by the Worcester chamber officials. As most of the proposed highway would rest in Worcester county, Massachusetts highway authorities have not until this time taken any particular interest in building a new surface on the short stretch that lies within the bounds of Middlesex county. Nevertheless, it is said that the petitioners will demand that the county of Worcester and the county of Middlesex, through their respective boards, get together and endeavor to secure sufficient appropriations for a

reconstruction of the short section of highway.

It is believed that motor traffic at present confined to two other routes almost daily during the warmer months of the year, could be diverted to a large extent to the new Lowell-Littleton-Harvard-Ayer junction route now desirous of re-making into one of the most important state highway traffic arteries in Massachusetts.

SERVED SUPPER IN CHURCH VESTRY

Members of Woman's Alliance served a delightful supper in Unitarian church

yesterday, Chelmsford Centre, last evening, the attendance being very large. The arrangements were made by the following committee: Mrs. William M. Greig, chairman; Mrs. George W. Day, Mrs. Edward B. Emerson, Mrs. Charles A. Wells, Mrs. G. Leslie Putnam, Mrs. John Buckley, Mrs. William Shattuck, Mrs. Charles H. Walker, Mrs. Fred A. McMaster, Miss A. Louise Adams, Miss Walter Perham had charge of the dining room and Miss Abbie Ford the entertainment program. Male members of the church acted as waiters.

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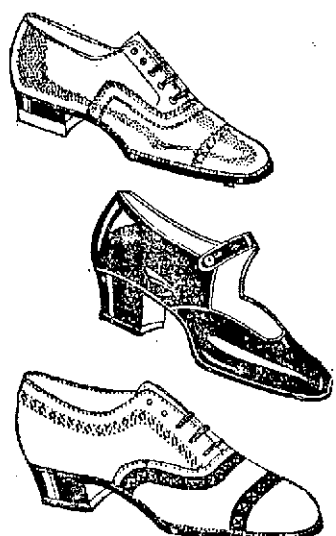
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Shoes for Women

WOMEN'S BLACK KID ONE-STRAP PUMPS, high heels, medium and narrow toes

WOMEN'S BLACK KID OXFORDS, high and military heels, medium toe

WOMEN'S PATENT LEATHER PUMPS, flat heel sandal style

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A SPECIAL LOT OF WOMEN'S HIGH SHOES, in black and brown leathers, all style toes and all heel heights

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A Lot of Little Gents', Youths' and Boys' Tan Hi-Cut STORM BOOTS

Two full double soles, of good strong construction, all Goodyear welts. An exceptional value at

\$2.00

Women's and Children's Styles

WOMEN'S VICI KID OXFORDS, military heel, medium toe

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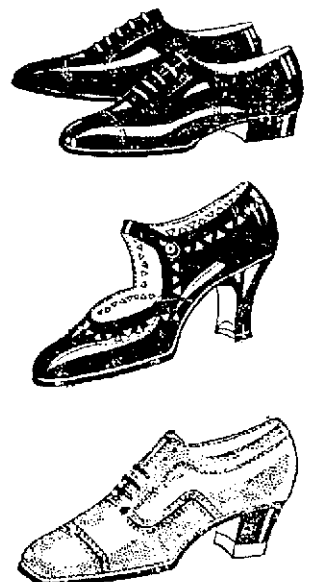
WOMEN'S DARK BROWN CALF OXFORDS, military heel, medium and narrow toe

WOMEN'S PATENT ONE-STRAP PUMPS, military and low heels, medium and narrow toes

CHILDREN'S SCHOOL SHOES, in tan, calf, Tony red, Havana brown and black kid and calf leathers, all sizes in the lot

ALSO A LOT OF YOUTHS' and BOYS' SHOES, in tan and black leathers

\$1.50



Outstanding Values for Men

MEN'S TAN and BLACK SHOES, in calf and kid leathers, wide, medium and narrow toes, all with rubber heels attached, some with double soles

MEN'S BLACK PATENT LEATHER JAZZ OXFORDS, with plain toes and toe caps, trouser crease, rubber heels attached

MEN'S BROWN OXFORDS, in light, dark and Tony red shades, some brogue styles

MEN'S BLACK OXFORDS, in kid and calf leathers, narrow and wide toes, all in the most wanted styles and patterns, with rubber heels attached

\$2

SPECIAL LOT OF CHILDREN'S SCHOOL SHOES

Tan and black calf and kid leathers, all Goodyear welts. For This Sale

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For THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY

300 Trimmed Hats

Silk, Satin, and Straw and Silk Combinations \$3.98

300 Trimmed Hats

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This Little World

NEW YORK



WHEN GENE COHN THOUGHT HE HAD DISCOVERED THE ORIGINAL OF MRS. MURPHY'S BOARDING HOUSE, AS SEEN BY ROLAND J. SCOTT, N.E.A. STAFF ARTIST.

BY GENE COHN
N.E.A. Service Staff Writer

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—While pondering the intricacies of this little world, consider for a moment the case of the world-famous Metropolitan museum!

For the purposes of one's daily shot of ironies it might be sufficient to recall that upon one floor there stands, guarded and glass-encased, the famed "Madonna" while just below, also glass-encased and guarded, is the thick bone of an anonymous gentleman of some centuries back.

Someone will proudly tell you that the "Madonna" "cost more money" than any other picture ever purchased; while a friendly cynosm-

gist will stab you with his elbow to inform you that the anonymous thick bone is the result of the highest-pitched expedition prior to the Tutankhamen venture.

But such contrasts are relatively unimportant.

I am quite recently out of California. So it was with a definite thrill of joy that I suddenly stumbled upon a sign reading "Cafeteria Duwastara." I am told that folk from Los Angeles get a similar thrill upon seeing a real estate sign in any part of the world.

This sign hits in the eye each earnest one as they have provided near the paintings of Dantes, Du Bois and Cezanne, down into the Indian relics and Byzantine glass thence by way of the expensive-looking daggers and armor into the prehistoric remains.

Then came the sign "Cafeteria." There was something unpleasant about coupling "prehistoric remains" with the word "Cafeteria."

It recalled a certain Los Angeles tray-bearing resort into which I was once enticed.

At last! I thought. In the basement I shall find the ruins of the earliest cafeteria; I shall know, once and for all, the name of the varlet who started this thing; I shall be able to place the blame where it belongs and forever clear the fair name of Los Angeles.

Who knows? I may even find remains of the first boarding house. They might even have the pines and the hash that figured in that first version of the country hotel stories.

Why not? Archaeologists have put their noses into everything else; why keep them out of soup and cold stew? I hastened to the basement!

The odor that floated up the wide stone stairway was familiar. For all the world this might have been Los Angeles, or Cleveland, or Chicago—and not the home of long-slumbering mummies, dinosaurs and 14th century carvings.

There it all was, just as elsewhere in this little world. Hot counters, steams, road beef, mashed potatoes.

The waitress assures me the eggs are fresh each morning and not "put down," even over the winter.

The corned beef is not even "a la Prolemey." It is the "boiled dinner" of any man.

Probably I am over-sensitive, but it seemed a sacrilege to eat creamed carrots just below the reconstructed tomb of Pharaoh.

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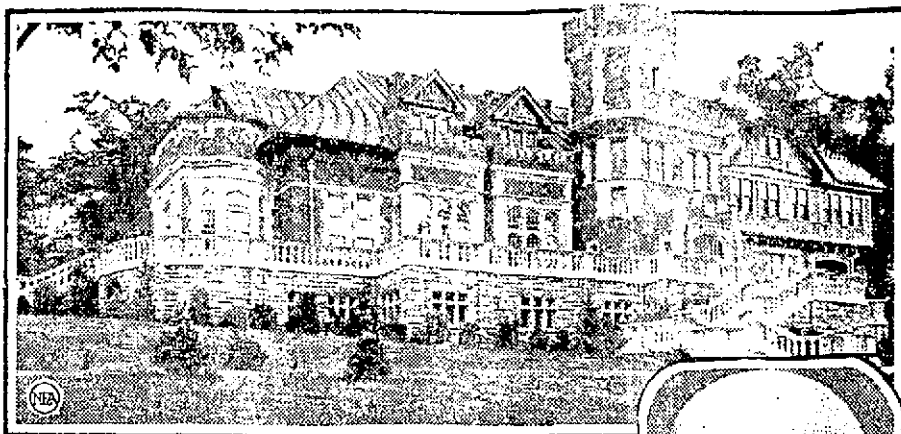
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CITY WONDERS AT NEW HOME



RIGHT: U. S. EPPERSON. ABOVE: THE HALF-MILLION DOLLAR HOME HE HAS JUST BUILT, TO THE TOWN'S MYSTIFICATION.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 15.—When U. S. Epperson, wealthy resident of Kansas City, decided to spend several of his declining years building a magnificent home, he took into consideration the fact that he and his wife, well along in years, could not expect to occupy the home very long.

So Epperson arranged that the home be so constructed that it could be used for institutional purposes after the death of himself and his wife.

The home, recently completed at a cost of nearly half a million dollars, contains 40 rooms that can be used

for hospital wards or for other purposes. At present, the aged couple, who are childless, occupy the mansion with a few servants.

What charitable or medical organization is to get the house on the death of Epperson is not known publicly. In fact, it is not known that any will get it. But the fact remains that the home is so built that it can be converted easily into a hospital or orphanage. The fact also remains that Epperson frankly stated when he began work on the home that he and



His wife did not expect to occupy it long, but the town continues to wonder.

INFANTILE PARALYSIS CLINICS HELD HERE

The first of four examining clinics for infantile paralysis cases, held yesterday at the rooms of the Lowell Guild in Dutton street by representatives of the Harvard Infantile Paralysis commission and under the direction of the local board of health was most successful. Miss Florence Kenney of the commission was the examiner and 18 cases were referred for investigation. Similar clinics will be held at the Guild rooms on Jan. 29 and on Feb. 2 and 9.

The series of clinics became a reality upon suggestion of the board of health after experiencing an explosive outbreak of the disease last fall. From early in September until the last of the year 36 cases were reported and five deaths resulted. In 1923 there was but one case reported during the entire year. The board requested the Harvard commission to arrange for clinics and asked the

Lowell Guild for the use of examining rooms. All parents of children who have been afflicted with the disease are urged to take advantage of the clinics which are to be held, although it is pointed out that no cases still under quarantine should be taken until a release has been given by the health department.

MEETING OF COURT BLANCHE DE CASTILLE

A largely attended meeting of the members of Court Blanche de Castille, No. 22, F.M.A., was held at the home of the president of the court, Miss Ida Fortin, 227 Essex street, last evening. Included in the business transacted was the acceptance of the invitation of a Nashua court to give an exhibition drill in that city on Feb. 29. It was voted to make the trip to Nashua by truck. The discussion of new uniforms was also on the table and motion was made that new skirts and hats be made for the trip on the 29th.

Plans for an entertainment to be given in C.M.A.C. hall, either before Lent or during mid-Lent, were also discussed and plans are now under way for an aquatic, the proceeds of which will be donated to the building fund for the House for the Aged town to be erected in Merrimack street for the aged French-speaking people of the city.

Miss Fortin introduced the chaplain of the court, Rev. Emil Reine, D.D., who addressed the members, congratulating them for their fine showing at the recent whist party of Union Samuel de Champlain, where they gave an exhibition drill and urging them to accept the invitation to Nashua, stating that there could be no better opportunity for the girls than to visit neighboring courts and strengthening the bond of unity so necessary in fraternal organizations.

Following the meeting refreshments were served and a social hour was enjoyed during which musical selections were given by those present.

COUNCIL ROCHAMBEAU INSTALLS OFFICERS

The installation of officers for the ensuing year of Council Rochambeau, No. 254, Royal Arcanum, was held last evening in C.M.A.C. hall with impressive ceremonies. In the absence of Regent Alphonse J. Fortin, the meeting was presided over by Vice-Regent J. H. Edmund Leardosters. The installation ceremonies were performed by Grand Regent James O. Phinney, of Highland Council, grand assisted by Albert W. Phinney, grand scribe of Highland Council No. 576.

Among the officers installed was Collector David A. Parthenais, who last evening was nominated as collector of the council for the 1924 succeeding year. At the termination of the council in April, 1924, Mr. Parthenais was elected as collector of the council.

What's Best for a Bad Stomach?

Nine-tenths of all stomach trouble—digestion, nervous, gas, pain, heartburn, etc., are caused by an excess of acid in the stomach. Artificial digestants, such as pepsin, are not needed in such cases and may do real harm. They lay down all digestive acids and instead neutralize the acid that has upset your stomach with a spoonful of two tablets of pure Bisurated Magnesia taken with a little water. This instantly sweetens the stomach and stops the pain and discomfort and your food digests as nature intended. For quick positive relief from Acid Stomach.

MOST PEOPLE PREFER
BISURATED MAGNESIA

Addresses were made by Supervising Grand Regent Phinney, who spoke of the excellent work accomplished by the council and congratulated its members for the generous spirit of fraternal charity and co-operation so prevalent among their ranks.

Supreme Representative Dr. Hugh Walker, of Industry Council, then explained to the gathering the new insurance plan of the Royal Arcanum which was adopted at the summer session of the supreme council of Royal Arcanum held at Atlantic City. He pointed out the superiority of the present plan over the old system, the numerous benefits derived by the plan and under the new rate.

First Grand Scribe, Moore of Highland Council, No. 576, Grand Knight of Highland Council No. 576, David A. Parthenais, collector of Highland Council, and Albert W. Phinney, secretary of Highland Council, also addressed the members, briefly speaking of the work of the council in general.

At the close of the session, refreshments were served and a smoke talk followed.

STAR HAS EYE TROUBLE

The Traylor, star third baseman of the Pittsburgh club, is said to be having serious trouble with his eyes.

SEE THE POINT?

The Sun has by far the latest circulation of any Lowell paper. Ninety per cent of Sun readers do not read any other Lowell newspaper. See the point, Mr. Advertiser?

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recommends

"SALADA"

TEA

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to the most discriminating tea drinker.

Continuing Tomorrow A. G. POLLARD CO.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE

ARE THE JANUARY CLEARANCE SALES IN THE GREAT UNDERPRICED BASEMENT

The Following Items Are Some That We Did Not Have Room For Yesterday

Men's Furnishing Section

- Men's Cashmere Merino Hose—Black and oxford, heather, brown and green; 45c value. January Clearance 29c, 4 pairs \$1.00
- Men's Fine Heather Sport Hose—Cashmere and worsted, black, heather, brown, green, oxford. January Clearance 45c pair
- Men's Heavy Wool Hose—These Socks reinforced heel and toe, and are "Ball-Band" quality and workmanship; 59c value. January Clearance 59c pair
- Men's Heavy Pure Wool Hose—Blue and dark grey, also "Ball-Band" quality and workmanship; \$1.00 value. January Clearance 79c, 2 for \$1.50
- Boys' Suspenders—50c value. January Clearance 35c pair
- Men's Fancy Suspenders—Standard length; 39c value. January Clearance 25c pair
- Men's Fancy and Police Suspenders—Standard and extra length; 45c value. January Clearance 35c pair
- Men's Fancy and Police Suspenders—Standard and extra length; 50c value. January Clearance 45c pair
- Men's Mole Skin Coats—Sheepskin lining, heaverized collar, belt, jersey woven wrist, length of coat 54 inches; \$10.00 value. January Clearance \$8.50
- Men's Mole Skin Coats—Made with sheepskin lining, heaverized collar, reinforced pockets, elastic wrist and belt, length of coat 50 inches; \$12.50 value. January Clearance \$10.00
- Men's Mole Skin Coats—With extra heavy sheepskin lining, heaverized collar, reinforced pockets, belt, worsted, elastic wrist, length 50 inches. January Clearance \$15.00
- Men's Sheepskin Lined Vests—With worsted collar; \$8.50 value. January Clearance \$6.50
- Men's Sheepskin Lined Vests—Worsted collar; \$6.00 value. January Clearance \$4.00
- Men's Sheepskin Lined Vests—\$5.00 value. January Clearance \$3.50

Cotton Blankets, Wool Blankets, Bed Comforters, Wool and Down Puffs

- Cotton Blankets, in white, gray and tan, pink and blue borders, 60 and 76 inches; regular value \$2.39 pair. January Clearance \$1.89
- Tan and White Cotton Blankets, double bed size, 64x76; regular value \$2.50 pair. January Clearance \$2.00
- Cotton Blankets, good quality, in white, gray and tan, large size, 66x80 inch; regular value \$2.95 pair. January Clearance \$2.29
- Heavy Cotton Blankets, extra large size, in white, gray and tan with fast color borders; regular value \$3.29 pair. January Clearance \$2.59 pair
- Esmond Two-In-One Comfortable Blankets, jacquard weave, in large combination of colors; regular \$5.00 value. January Clearance \$3.95 each
- Esmond Comfortable Blankets, two-in-one, jacquard weave, 70x80 inch; regular \$6.00 value. January Clearance \$4.29 each
- Comfortable Blankets, in black plaid; regular value \$3.00. January Clearance \$1.95 each
- Nashua Blanket, fine warm quality, in white and gray, with fancy borders, also Australian fancy plaid, double bed size, 66x84; regular price \$4.50. January Clearance \$3.89 pair
- Nashua Blankets, in white, gray and tan, with fast color borders, also Australian fancy plaid Blankets, extra large size, 72x84; regular value \$5.00. January Clearance \$4.39 pair
- Wool Puffs
 - \$10.00 value, at \$7.95
 - \$12.50 value, at \$9.50
 - \$15.00 value, at \$11.95
 - \$18.00 value, at \$14.95
 - \$22.50 value, at \$17.95
- DOWN PUFFS
 - Regular price \$15.00, at \$11.95
 - Regular price \$19.00, at \$14.95
 - Regular price \$25.00, at \$19.95
 - Regular price \$29.00, at \$22.50
- WOOL BLANKETS
 - Wool Blankets, fancy plaids; \$6 value, at \$4.65
 - White Wool Blankets, good warm blankets, double bed size, 70x80; regular value \$7.50, at \$5.45
 - Wool Blankets, wool and all wool, in white, fancy plaids and gray; large size \$10.00 value, January Clearance, pair \$6.95
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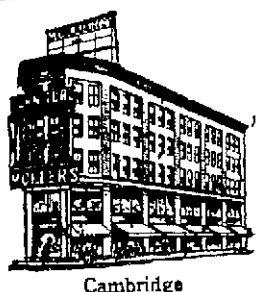
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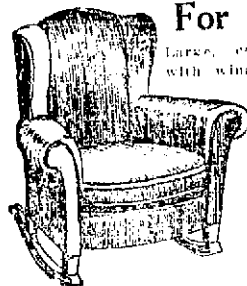
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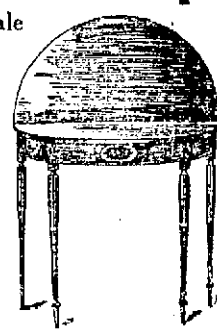
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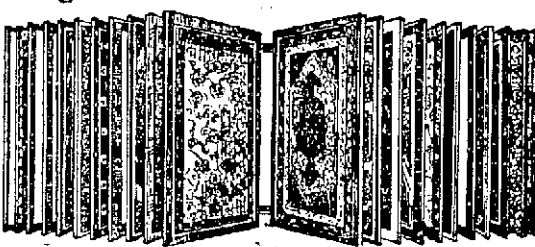
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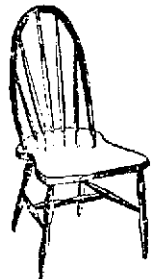
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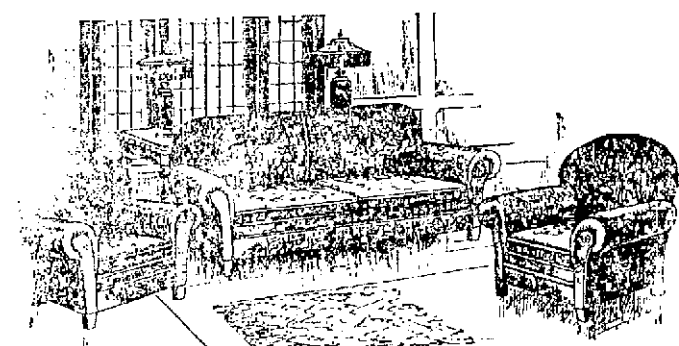
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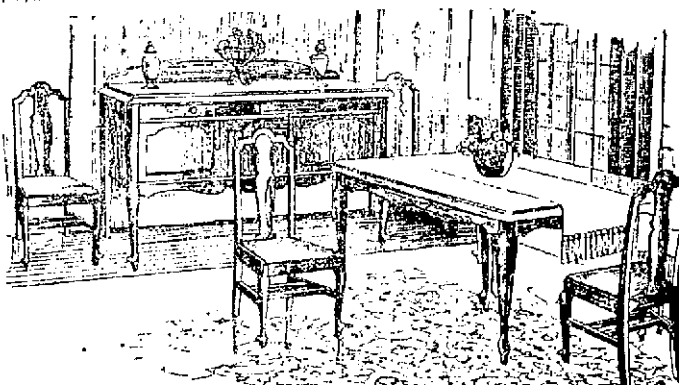


3-Piece Chamber Suite

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Here is a very unusual value. A charming suite solidly constructed of real oak in combination with other hardwoods. It consists of full size bow-foot bed, spacious chiffonier and large dresser with plate mirror.

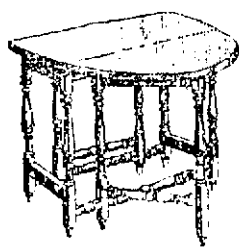


6-Piece Dining Room Suite

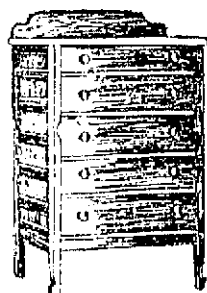
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Consisting of large buffet, oblong extension table and four chairs with genuine leather slip seats. The suite is strongly constructed of hardwoods in the Queen Anne design and is nicely finished to resemble walnut. A really wonderful value at our February Sale price.

Solid Mahogany
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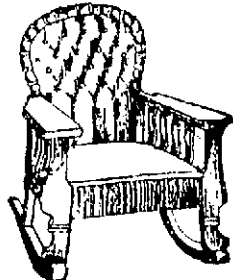
This table is made of solid mahogany throughout. It is 34 inches long when open. This is one of the greatest values ever offered by any store for a solid mahogany gateleg table.



Chiffonier

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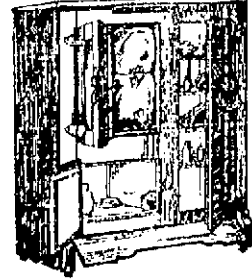
This chiffonier is solidly built of genuine golden oak and is very nicely finished. It has five large drawers. At this remarkably low price it is a rare bargain.



Rocker

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This large, comfortable rocker has wide arms and heavy, well-built frame. It is very nicely upholstered in imitation leather. It will be hard to find this chair at anywhere near our sale price.



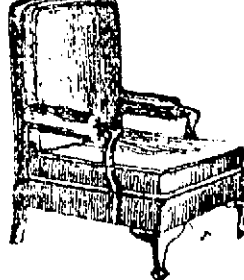
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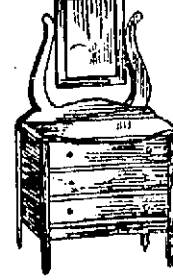
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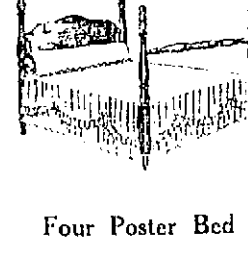
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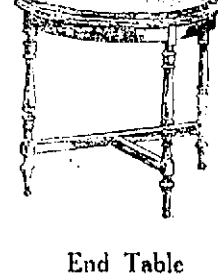
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Four Poster Bed

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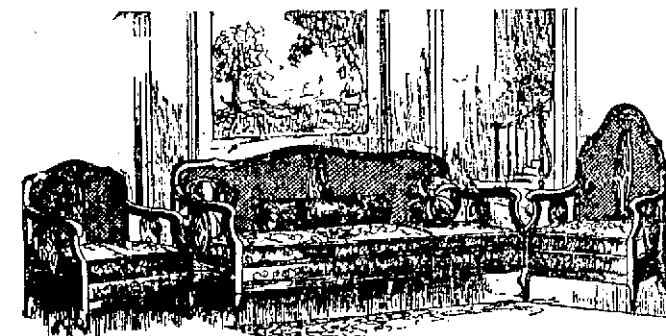
This four-poster bed is made of the best quality mahogany in combination with other hard woods. These Colonial reproductions never go out of date and fit in well with odd bedroom pieces. The price has been greatly reduced for this sale.



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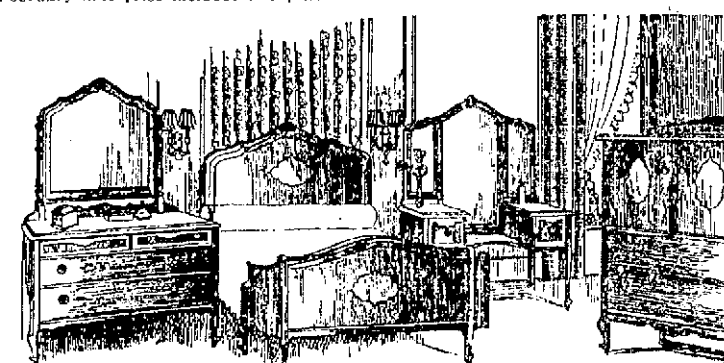


3-Piece Cane Living Room Suite

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Consisting of flexible chair, rocker and davenport. All three pieces are large, built for solid comfort and long service. The frames are solidly constructed of hardwood and finished to resemble mahogany. The low February Sale price includes two pillows and bolster.



4-Piece Chamber Suite

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10-Piece Dining Room Suite

\$229

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This suite is solidly constructed of massive lines in the pleasing Jacobean period style of walnut in combination with other hardwoods. It consists of spacious 60 inch buffet, oblong extension table, china closet with glass panels, serving table, host chair and five side chairs with genuine leather seats. A very high grade suite at a specially low price.

CRISIS IN BIG RAIL STRIKE

British Public Anxiously Awaits Developments in Strike of Engineers

Things Soon Must Take a Definite Turn for Better or Worse

LONDON, Jan. 24.—The British public today anxiously awaited developments in the engineers' strike, for it was regarded as certain that things must take a definite turn for better or worse as a result of the fact that the railway managers had decided to defer their decision in regard to the union's suggestion for a conference. However, the general assumption here today was that the road executives in no case would consent to a redress of the issues involved in the strike, preferring to rest upon the findings of the railway wages board.

It was the reputation by the Associated Society of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen of this award, providing for a wage reduction, that led to the strike.

The impression prevails in some quarters that the managers are in a hurry to reach a settlement, believing that they stand to lose less than does the union by the continuance of the strike.

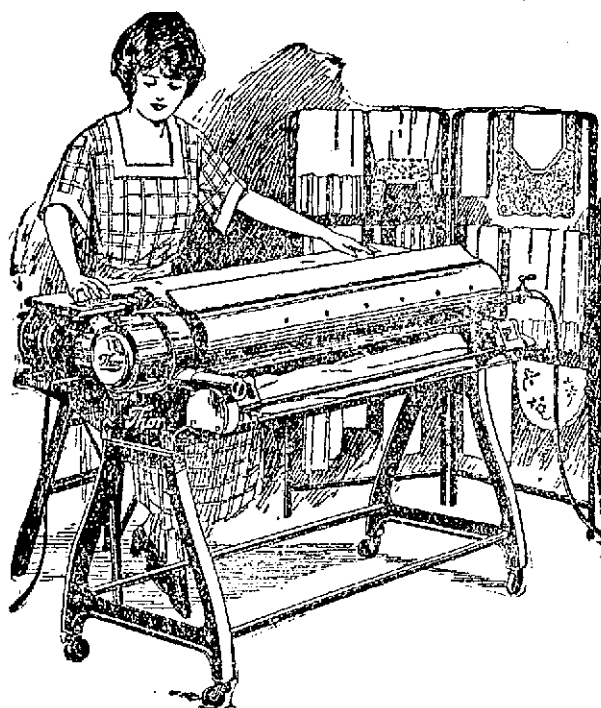
Rebels Yield to U. S. Protest

Continued
The revolutionists, are in private hands in the United States, but the Oregon representatives are understood to have been informed that these ships are regarded as subject, normally at least, to the same restrictions as have been imposed upon the resale of naval craft sold by the navy department since the conference—that they must not be permitted to become part of the naval forces of any other country without the sanction of the government. The Oregon government's request for purchase of surplus war craft direct from the United States was refused in conformance with the same obligations as dictated by the naval limitation treaty.

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MEETING OF HOLY CROSS CLUB OF LOWELL

Hon. Dennis J. Murphy, president of the Merrimack Alumni Association of Holy Cross college, was the principal speaker at the regular monthly meeting of the Holy Cross club of Lowell in Mario's restaurant last night. There were about 20 members present.



HON. DENNIS J. MURPHY

and enthusiastic reports of progress were received.

The Lowell Holy Cross club was organized early in the year for the purpose of stimulating interest in local Holy Cross affairs. Dr. Francis A. Planchon, director of school hygiene, is president.

Mr. Murphy's talk last night was of an informal nature, but interesting in its stress on the need of maintaining interest in all Holy Cross undertakings and of supporting every movement, other speakers were Dr. Richard J. McCluskey and William J. McCluskey.

It was voted to entertain the members of the Holy Cross basketball team when they come here to play Lowell Textile on the evening of Feb. 27. The next meeting will be held on that date.

Reports that a federal vanguard has entered Guadalajara. Messages given out by the war department state that it is apparently confirmed that Gen. Carlos Dominguez, former chief of staff under Carranza, was killed during fighting at El Carmen last week. According to specials from Tampico, rebel sympathizers accused of spreading false reports of federal defeat, have been ordered to leave town and join the rebels. Military authorities here have reported to be planning similar action against those spreading similar reports in the capital.

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MISCELLANEOUS TAX RATES CONSIDERED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The house ways and means committee proceeded today with consideration of the miscellaneous tax rates, leaving the fate of the Mellon proposals for revision of income taxes undetermined while the democratic members await the definite terms for a compromise which they suggested yesterday when Chairman Greene proposed that the committee work out a non-partisan bill.

IS SURVIVED BY BROTHER AND NIECE

Information was received today at the undertaking establishment of William A. Mack to the effect that John McHugh, a former Lowell resident who died in Lawrence suddenly, Tuesday, is survived by a brother and a niece. Information concerning the brother was given by a person who visited the establishment today and told Mr. Mack of a brother who went to Australia years ago. When Mr. McHugh was taken to the Lawrence hospital shortly before his death, he gave the name of Nellie Gilbride of Belmont street, this city, as his nearest relative. There is no Nellie Gilbride listed in the directory as living in Belmont street, but an attempt is being made to locate her.

In the story of Mr. McHugh's death in The Sun yesterday, it was stated that the body was removed to 13 Dutton street by a Lawrence undertaker and that the funeral would be held to-

day. The funeral will be next Monday and will be from the undertaking establishment of William A. Mack, who has charge of the body.

Legislative Committee Visits Local Textile Mills Continued

respects were formally paid to the mayor, then a short walk over to the York club for a brief social chat with more representatives of Lowell industrial organizations, and shortly after 10 o'clock, adjournment to the first mill to come under the legislators' inspection—the Merrimack.

The list of solons from Beacon Hill looks rather impressive on paper. It was given to The Sun by a clerk of the committee accompanying the visiting delegation and is as follows: Senate—representatives—Senator Charles P. Howard, chairman of the senate committee on labor and industry; Senators Clark and Cook.

House representatives—Representative Frank H. Phinney, chairman; Representative Blanchard, clerk; Representatives Garrity, Keller, Hinkle, Come, Mellen, McKersin and Perry. The members of the state committee of legislators were accompanied on their trip to Lowell by Richard B. Stanley, legislative councillor representing the Arkwright club, (composed of leading textile manufacturers), John J. Riley of Lowell, also legislative councillor of the Arkwright club, and Charles J. Hodson, legislative agent of the American Federation of Labor.

Made Short Visit

The legislative committee members had been expected to spend the entire day visiting various Lowell textile establishments, but plans were said to have been changed yesterday and members notified to leave Boston early this morning on the 2 a. m. train so as to reach Lowell before 10 o'clock. It

was stated that only three hours would be devoted to investigating industrial conditions in this city, as the visit to Lawrence this afternoon was on the calendar, and the entire trip of mill survey must be made in one day's journey from Boston.

The solons lost no time in "making the rounds" laid out for them. Agent Wadleigh of the Merrimack company acted as host both in the journey from the train and to the other points on the local industrial tour. The Arkwright club representatives were left at city hall for the time being and did not enter the Merrimack mills with the remainder of the investigators.

Conditions at the Lawrence Manufacturing company were explained by Agent Eugene H. Walker. From the Lawrence company, the Beacon Hill visitors hurried quickly to Lowell Corporation hospital, where a tour was made of all the wards and adjoining quarters, including an inspection of the rooms devoted to the provision of nourishing food and medical supplies to hospitalized patients. No particular reason was supplied by any of the solons as to the object of the hospital visitation, but it was regarded as an important part of the Lowell itinerary anyhow.

The Sun was informed that the legislators were prepared to ask questions covering schedule hours of labor, and would endeavor also to obtain the views of mill operatives at the rooms to ascertain first-hand opinions from the labor viewpoint on attitudes concerning the 18-hour day.

Object Visit

It was stated by a representative of the Arkwright club that the visit to Lowell as well as the three other leading textile manufacturing cities of Massachusetts—New Bedford, Fall River and Lawrence—was to give the members of the senate and house legislative branches some first-hand idea of the actual conditions prevailing in a majority of the textile industries of Massachusetts today.

It was stated that only a few members of the joint committee had ever before actually seen the inside of a textile mill and that the visit to the four cities named, including Lowell, was a visit of discovery as well as enlightenment. It was not explained how such a brief visit to the cities named by the legislative investigating committee could reveal a great deal in the matter of desirable information that would provide much vital material to work upon.

Richard B. Stanley of the Arkwright club stated that he was merely accompanying the solons on their round of the textile cities as a representative of the manufacturers' organization and nothing more. He believed the tour had been enlightening thus far notwithstanding the short visiting schedule. Asked why more textile establishments had not been visited today while the solons were here, Mr. Stanley said he did not make the schedule up and that the committee had not planned to spend any extraordinary amount of time touring the textile mills at present.

Legislative Petitions

Mr. Stanley said, in referring to the legislative petitions to be acted upon by the committee on labor and industry.

"There are several bills to come before the legislature this year, some of them intended to increase the weekly hours of labor in industrial plants. One bill to be considered would abolish the 18-hour law and put a 54-hour law measure on the statute books in its place. Another proposed measure

would supplement the 18-hour law by a new 54-hour law enactment, to remain in force during the next four years. This would give the mills a chance to show what our industries in this northern section of the country could do with working hours more equal with the hours in force in competing mills in other sections of the country, namely, the south.

"There is a third legislative bill which, first, would increase the number of hours in which help of all kinds could be obtained in the textile industry. This would be a very important bill, as it would give the mills a chance to show what our industries in this northern section of the country could do with working hours more equal with the hours in force in competing mills in other sections of the country, namely, the south.

TURNED ZION'S DESERT INTO OASIS



THE ABOVE PHOTOS CLEARLY ILLUSTRATE THE PROGRESS MADE BY THE JEWS IN TURNING THE SANDS OF PALESTINE INTO FRUITFUL FARMS AND THRIVING CITIES. PHOTO ON UPPER LEFT, THE LAYING OF THE CORNERSTONE OF TEL-AVIV IN 1909. UPPER RIGHT, DEIRAL STREET, THE MAIN STREET OF TEL-AVIV. LEFT CENTER, ONE OF THE FIRST JEWISH MILKMAIDS SINCE BIBLICAL TIMES. RIGHT CENTER, READING WHERE THE DESERT USED TO BLOOM; AND BOTTOM, THE MODERN HIGH SCHOOL IN TEL-AVIV.

BY MILTON BRONNER

N.E.A. Service Staff Correspondent
London, Jan. 23.—Orange groves and vineyards and wheat fields where they have not been seen for centuries. Up-to-date American roadmaking, farm-reaping and fruit-canning methods in a land where the primitive plow has been the rule.

These are the outstanding achievements of the Zionist movement which might well be called the "miracle of the desert." This would call for extra hours for women and some minors over 16 years of age. It would mean two shifts for women workers. These are the principal bills covering the operation of textile establishments in Massachusetts that are of interest in that it is now the legislative committee and the Arkwright club representatives are here today.

ing sands held tight by the planting of the cypripedium, marshes drained, and metalled roads built.

A whole comprehensive school system, running from kindergarten clear up to a national university.

Tel Aviv, a town of 15,000 inhabitants created at day, had, was, where once were sand dunes.

Impelled by this vision, undeterred by the prospect of hard, unrelenting manual toil, unfrightened by heat, by difficult roads and by hostile Arabs, Jews have poured into Palestine since February, 1912.

There would have been five times that number had the Zionist organization and the British government been willing. But both have been insistent that there must be a job for every immigrant. Hence a checking system threefold as rigid as that applied by our Uncle Sam at Ellis Island.

Most of the immigrants are young and coming from 20 to 30 who leave with their young families. They are mainly men who have served in the armies of their country and who have already either worked as farmers or mechanics or at useful crafts. And all are idealists.

In one period of 18 months, 14,563 Jews were admitted to Palestine. They came from 43 different countries and spoke almost as many languages. The chief countries of origin were: Poland, 4,429; Russia, 2,988; Ukraine, 2,152; Lithuania, 1,481; Rumania, 1,416; Turkey, 852 and Morocco, 329. Only 278 came from America.

When these Jews land in Palestine they are immediately taken care of at labor camps where the men are put to work as manual laborers. In this way 60 miles of roads, 10 miles of railway, a bridge over the Jordan and other things have been accomplished. Others are employed in house building. They are then gradually settled on the land.

The Zionists have 50 colonies comprising about 175,000 acres of arable land in such classical places as the vale of Sharon, Samaria, Galilee and the great plain where Armageddon was fought. The total population of Palestine is 757,899, of whom 58,294 are Jews and 70,024 are Christians.

It is estimated the country could easily support 3,000,000 when properly cultivated. The arable area of Palestine is estimated at 12,000 square miles of which only 469 are in use. So it can be seen how little the Zionists own up to the present.

All their land has been purchased from the Arabs. It is not sold to the Jewish settlers. They get it on a system of permanent lease, the land as a whole, being held as Jewish national land.

In some communities the workmen have been cooperative companies. It is the vision of the Zionists that their holdings shall once more be given over to the cultivation of oranges, olives, cotton, grapes, wheat and barley. Prof. Elwood Mead of University of California, has surveyed their activities and is preparing an optimistic report.

The work of setting up farms, building houses and roads and establishing schools is something like the early pioneer story of Utah. Like our early settlers everywhere, these Palestinian Jews are strong on schools. They have today 121 of all kinds, with 574 teachers and 14,456 pupils.

Just as our job with our melting pot is to teach the children to speak English in this new melting pot of races, the Jews are being taught Hebrew instead of the tongues of Europe, Africa and Asia. In the towns Jews settle as artisans. Land has been bought and new working class suburbs planned for Jerusalem, Jaffa and Haifa.

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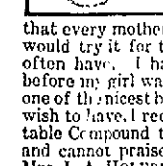
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Resolution of Sen. Caraway Provides Further Fuel for Debate in the Senate

Montana Senator Would Bar Atty. Gen. Daugherty From Part in Probe

WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The resolution of Senator Caraway, democrat, Arkansas, calling for cancellation of the lease of the Teapot Dome naval oil reserve to Harry E. Sinclair, provided further fuel for debate in the senate today while the committee insisted that and similar transactions be investigated. Senator Caraway, democrat, Montana, who has taken the lead in developing the inquiry, gave formal notice of his intent to ask the committee to recommend a resolution advising the president to institute judicial proceedings for annulment of the Teapot Dome lease and employ special counsel to prosecute the case.

Moreover, the senator said he would ask the committee to include in the resolution a provision for the employment of special counsel to prosecute the case independent of the department of justice by reason of the widespread suspicion throughout the country against Attorney General Daugherty.

MARANVILLE ON MARKET Maranville is almost certain to be traded to Pittsburgh before the opening of the season.

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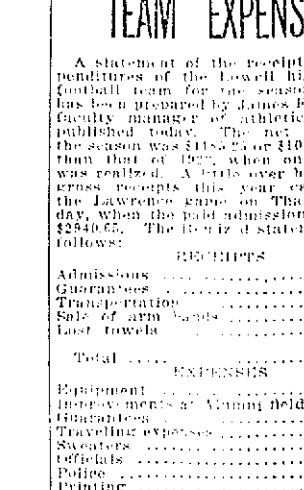
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FOUR GREATEST OUTFIELDERS, EXPERTS AGREE



BABE RUTH

BY BILLY EVANS

What players comprise the greatest outfield of all time?

In all probability, if a vote were taken among the experts and players as to the greatest outfield a certain team ever boasted the Speaker, Lewis and Hooper trio of the old Boston Red Sox would get the call.

The combination of Lewis in left, Speaker in center and Hooper in right was certainly a corker. It was a trio that could do everything, well, fast, perhaps, nothing better than throw. It was foolhardy for a base runner to take any chances on a ball hit into the Boston outfield, as far as getting an extra base in addition to the certainty, Lewis and Hooper were right-handed throwers and had doubly sure, Speaker, I regard, as the most accurate left-handed throwing outfielder I have ever seen in the majors.

Babe Ruth summed up the throwing ability of that outfield when, in disgust after twice being thrown out at the plate, remarked:

Strikes from Outfield

"That trio throws strikes from the right. His extra outfielder was Babe Ruth."

Wagner's team as a whole was a corker, but to me the outfield stood out more than any of the other selections, unless it was the pitchers. It seemed as if Wagner had selected four players for the outfield that would be hard to improve upon.

The Wagner story started me to delve in my own books, where I have filed away the All-American teams as selected by such baseball authorities as John McGraw, Hanky Jennings, Connie Mack, Frank Chance, Clark Griffith, F. J. Jones and other celebrities.

Consensus of 30 Experts

Of 30 teams selected by leading experts, the Cobb, Ruth and Speaker were placed on all of them in the outfield. Fred Clarke and Babe Ruth were on a majority of them, while such players as Tris Speaker, Hooper and Ed Delahanty were on a number of them.

However, the consensus of the experts was agreed that the strongest outfield combination would consist of Cobb, Speaker, Ruth and Ty Cobb.

Some combination.

BILLY EVANS SAYS

Is it advisable for the star college athlete to enter professional sport as a means of livelihood? At present that is a much debated question. Convinced arguments can be offered pro and con.

In a majority of cases it proves a mighty profitable move for the college baseball star to enter the pro game provided he has enough ability to make the big leagues.

The Philadelphia Athletics, who created a big need in baseball for the college ball player, was the first major league manager to see merit in the college ball player.

The college ball player has become quite the vogue in the big show. Unquestionably the great success of George Sisler had much to do with boosting the stock of the "fresh" boys. Major league teams are now reaching out for the college players closely.

The important games in the early spring on college diamonds are acutely as carefully as are the leading minor leagues later in the season.

The practice of the college baseball star signing with some major league is now treated in a matter of fact manner by the colleges. It is no longer affects the popularity that the player may have attained during his college days.

The coming of professional football has made a field for college grid stars of the country. Last season perhaps 50 cities in the United States boasted teams that could be classed as major leagues. Most of the teams were recruited from former college stars.

The promoters of the pro football very wisely agreed that there should be no tampering with players still in college. This was made to seem as if to encourage the equity of the college coaches. The playing of professional football by the college star is not nearly so well received as joining the major leagues. Football coaches seem to think that a grid star is simply wasting so many years when he plays football after leaving college.

In fact, too much strenuous football often plays havoc with physical condition.

Professional football and baseball are not spots for the college star to pick up some pin money after getting the old sheepskin. Often the bankroll is badly depleted at the close of the season.

During the war boxing was given a great boost by the colleges. It has prospered rapidly and is almost a major sport in many institutions. Only recently I was talking to the boxing instructor of one of the big institutions of the east and he told me that he had two heavyweights who made of two years could make it mighty money.

For Jack Dempsey, however, neither has the slightest idea of turning professional. Boxing, by the way, is the only college sport that seldom produces a professional. I understand the boxing instructors constantly dwell on the fact that pro boxing offers nothing certain except a battered countenance.

NEW ENTRY IN LOCAL BASKETBALL FIELD

The Franklin A. C. has entered the local basketball field and would like to play the Bruins or the Panthers.

The Panthers are composed of such stars as Tim Moriarty, Tony Allard, the McInnis brothers and Capt. Ray Foster. The team expects also to have the services of Eddie McMahon, one of the best players in Manchester, N. H.

All challenges will be answered through this paper or by calling Capt. Foster, whose telephone number is 4025-W.

KOPPISCH OF COLUMBIA

Walter Koppisch, Columbia star athlete, has just been elected captain of the football eleven for the third straight season. The honor is indeed unique in collegiate athletic circles.

Now, this school has won the same championship in two years in succession, but to be so honored three times running is something else again. Koppisch is also captain of this season's track team.

IF BAINED BASKETS

Bentonville (Ind.) high school has a basketball team in a game the other night the Little Bentonville game.

The game was a close one, but the Bentonville team, by the way, didn't even dispute the victory, and the score was 122 to 13.

The Bentonville team, for the Bentonville aggregation, tossed 21 field goals.

STITCHER AFTER LEWIS

Joe Sticher is seeking another match with Stanley Lewis for the heavyweight championship. Sticher, who has no better fans, the famous (should be the use of which Lewis has made with most of his matches.

LOWELL HIGH FOOTBALL GEN. JAMES G. HARBORD TEAM EXPENSES AT THE AUDITORIUM

A statement of the receipts and expenditures of the Lowell high school football team for the season 1923, has been presented by James G. Harbord, business manager of athletics, and published today. The net profit for the season was \$118.50 or \$109.02 less the cost of the uniforms, which was \$9.48. A little over half of the net profit, \$54.75, was realized. A little over half of the net profit, \$54.75, was realized. A little over half of the net profit, \$54.75, was realized.

Receipts

Admission to games \$1,000.00
Guarantee money \$1,000.00
Total receipts \$2,000.00

Expenses

Equipment \$500.00
Uniforms \$9.48
Total expenses \$509.48

Net profit, returnable to general fund \$1,490.52

Total \$1,490.52

DUAL TRACK MEET HAS BEEN CANCELLED

The dual track meet scheduled for Feb. 2, between Lowell high school and Rindge Technical school of Cambridge, has been cancelled.

The Lowell school, which was to have been the home of the meet, had already made all the necessary preparations for this contest, such as hiring the officials, printing programs and tickets, repairing the floor, and making track in the gymnasium, and the Rindge school, which was to have been the home of the meet, had already made all the necessary preparations for this contest, such as hiring the officials, printing programs and tickets, repairing the floor, and making track in the gymnasium.

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BIG INCREASE IN MOTOR OUTPUT
WASHINGTON, Jan. 24.—The output of motor vehicles in the United States during 1923 was placed in a commerce department announcement today at a total of 3,636,599 passenger automobiles and 356,257 trucks, as compared with 2,331,760 and 246,281, respectively, in 1922. For December, the returns showed manufacture of 275,260 passenger cars and 27,875 trucks.CABINET MINISTERS' GUARDS WITHDRAWN
LONDON, Jan. 24.—The special armed detectives who formerly accompanied cabinet ministers on their travels in Great Britain or abroad have been withdrawn from duty, says the Daily Mail. They will be assigned to the members of the new cabinet if a request for their services is made, but none has been received.

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For want of iron you may practically be an old woman at from 30 to 35, weak, downhearted and "all faded out." You may be in such a highly nervous, irritable state that you "go to pieces" on the slightest provocation, while at 30 or 35 with good health and plenty of iron in your blood, you may still be young, feeling and so attractive and full of life as to defy detection of your real age.

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All challenges will be answered through this paper or by calling Capt. Foster, whose telephone number is 4025-W.

KOPPISCH OF COLUMBIA

Walter Koppisch, Columbia star athlete, has just been elected captain of the football eleven for the third straight season. The honor is indeed unique in collegiate athletic circles.

Now, this school has won the same championship in two years in succession, but to be so honored three times running is something else again. Koppisch is also captain of this season's track team.

IF BAINED BASKETS

Bentonville (Ind.) high school has a basketball team in a game the other night the Little Bentonville game.

The game was a close one, but the Bentonville team, by the way, didn't even dispute the victory, and the score was 122 to 13.

The Bentonville team, for the Bentonville aggregation, tossed 21 field goals.

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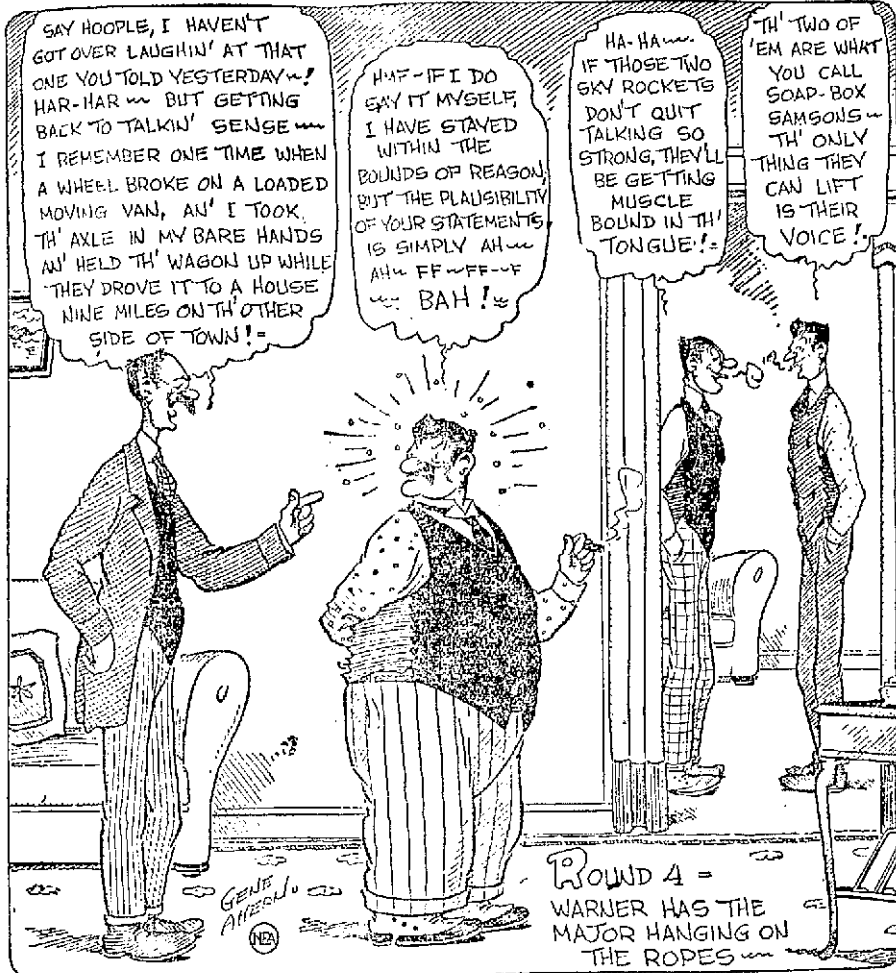
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WATCH NEW PREMIER'S CONDUCT OF BRITISH FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Recent Denunciation of "Pompous Folly" of Withholding Full Recognition of Soviet Russia Prepares Country for Early Action in That Direction

LONDON, Jan. 24. (By the Associated Press.)—The conduct of British foreign affairs under Prime Minister MacDonald will be watched with interest by observers of international political events, especially in view of the number of complicated issues that are awaiting adjustment.

Mr. MacDonald's recent denunciation of the "pompous folly" of withholding full recognition of Soviet Russia, has prepared everybody for early action by the new government in that direction, and it is stated unofficially that James O'Hara, M.P., is already being considered for the position of British ambassador to Moscow.

Mr. O'Hara, who holds one of the leading seats in the House of Commons, has made a study of Russian affairs. He visited Moscow officially in 1917 and again in 1922 in connection with the trade union famine relief movement.

The new prime minister's interest in the League of Nations is well known, and according to the Daily Telegraph, he contemplates an expansion of the league section of the foreign office in order to use it to the utmost as an instrument of general pacification. For this reason, according to the writer, Mr. MacDonald means to devote every effort toward the early inclusion of Germany and Russia in the league.

The Daily Telegraph also asserts that the premier has invited Lord Darnley, the lord president of the council, to represent Great Britain on the league council replacing Viscount Cecil of Chelwood, who is retiring.

Contrary to the general belief and to what is supposed to have been his own intention originally, Mr. MacDonald, says the Daily Mail, has decided to fill the appointments to the royal household with members of his own party, and Tom Griffiths, member of parliament for Pontypool, and Parkinson, representing Wigorn, probably will receive the posts of treasurer and controller of the household, respectively.

The appointment of Miss Margaret Readfield to the secretaryship of the ministry of labor, thus making her the first woman to have a place in the British government, is very favorably received. There is some surprise that Miss Readfield did not get a position in cabinet rank, but it is said that she herself did not wish this distinction.

Predicts Short Term

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Sir Charles Higham, a prominent British advertising man, told 300 members of the Salina club last night that Ramsay MacDonald's term as prime minister would last not more than three months.

He declared no government could be conducted while constantly subjected to criticism from the ranks of its own supporters. "Although there is no more conservative man than I am, I am when I get into the house of commons."

"Everybody who knows the inside history of Great Britain knows that the whole thing was an accident which arose out of a meeting at the Carlton club two years ago," said Sir Charles.

He predicted that in July the conservative under Sir Robert Horne, or a constitutional party, headed by Lord Lloyd George, would be in control, but said he did not expect anything serious to happen while the labor party was in power.

Predictions Fail to Materialize

LONDON, Jan. 24.—The failure of predictions that the advent of the labor government would democratize stock markets and financial business generally is commented on today by the Morning Post's financial editor. He remarks that the establishment of the new ministry had a peculiar effect, for while the stock exchange securities have risen materially in the past two days, foreign exchanges have been depressed.

The writer explains these apparently conflicting developments by asserting that the depression of sterling is closely connected with the fact that the advent of the labor government caused some foreign centers to exchange sterling balances into dollar balances. "This movement, the editor says, is quite unjustified, and if the government rises to a sense of its responsibilities such withdrawals are likely to come in short order."

Appeal to India

BOMBAY, British India, Jan. 24.—

CONFERENCE ON STRIKE FALLS THROUGH

LONDON, Jan. 24.—(By the Associated Press.)—The proposed conference between the railway managers and the engineers for discussion of the issues involved in the present strike, has fallen through, and J. Bromley, secretary of the Associated Society of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen, announced this afternoon that he "regretted" that the strike must continue.

U. S. SKATERS THREATEN TO WITHDRAW

CHAMONIX, France, Jan. 24.—(By the Associated Press.)—The American skaters entered for the speed events in the Olympic competitions here beginning Saturday threatened today to refrain from competing in Saturday's events, owing to a dispute over the number of rubbers and handlers to be admitted to their dressing rooms.

DETECTIVE KILLED BY BANDIT

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Jan. 24.—Stephen Kendall, a detective, was shot and killed when he engaged in a revolver duel with a bandit who robbed a gasoline filling station here last night. The bandit escaped, but is believed to have been wounded.

BASKET FACTORY DESTROYED BY FIRE

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., Jan. 24.—The West River Basket Co.'s basket factory and contents in Williamsville, were burned late last night, causing a loss of \$10,000. The property was owned by E. H. Richardson and C. D. Luzzelle, who carried small insurance. It is thought the fire started from a hot box, breaking out after smoldering several hours. Finished baskets burned rapidly as there was no means of fighting the flames. The company employed 15 men.

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FRIDAY NIGHT — BATTLE OF MUSIC

Shepard's Colonial Orchestra of Boston and Minor-Daile's Orchestra of Lowell, Admission 55¢

TWO BILLS BEFORE LEGISLATURE TO AMEND PLAN B CHARTER

One Provides That Maximum Salary for Mayor Shall Be \$10,000 Instead of \$5000—The Other Gives Council Power to Remove Department Heads

(Special to The Sun.)

BOSTON, Jan. 24.—Although there are pending before the legislature two bills to amend the Plan B form of city charter, under which Lowell operates, it is considered very doubtful if either will be favorably considered by the general court.

One of these provides that the maximum salary which the city council may vote for the mayor shall be \$10,000, instead of the present limitation of \$5000. This is introduced on petition of the city solicitor of Waltham, another city which is operating under the Plan B charter, and has been referred to the committee on cities. No date for hearing it has as yet been assigned.

It provides that the section of the charter relative to the mayor's salary shall read thus:

"The mayor shall receive for his services such salary as the city council by ordinance shall determine, not exceeding ten thousand dollars, and shall receive no other compensation from the city. His salary shall not be increased or diminished during the term for which he is elected."

Rep. Victor F. Jewett of Lowell, who is the republican floor leader of the house, declared today that he is very much opposed to the bill, a fact which would undoubtedly bring about its defeat, even if the committee on cities should report it favorably, which is most unlikely. The salary proposed is greater than that paid in any other city in the east, except Boston.

The other Plan B bill, which seems even more certain of defeat, is one which in effect would give to a majority of the city council power to remove any department head, at the expiration of his term, even against the wishes of the mayor.

This bill emanates from Cambridge, another of the Plan B cities, and is brought by Ralph W. Robert, a newly elected member of the city council there. It reads:

"Should the name of any person submitted to the city council for reappointment fail of confirmation by the city council the office shall be vacated and the mayor shall appoint a temporary appointee to such office, said temporary appointee to be other than the person then holding the office, and the mayor shall again submit within two weeks another appointment for confirmation and shall so continue until the name of the person submitted for appointment is confirmed. The mayor shall submit all appointments for confirmation by the city council not later than thirty days after their respective terms expire. Any person or persons now holding office whose term has expired shall come within the provisions of this amendment."

This measure has been referred by the house to the committee on cities, but as it is not yet in print, the senate has not concurred in the reference. There is no doubt that it will do so, however, and soon after this is done the measure will be assigned for a hearing.

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CHILD DIES OF INJURIES

Mother in Hospital Visiting One Son When Another Is Brought In

SALEM, Jan. 24.—Robert A. Rundlett, aged five years, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Rundlett, died this forenoon at the Salem hospital of a fractured skull, received when struck yesterday afternoon on Bridge street by an automobile driven by Charles Houghton, 101 Lawton avenue, Lynn. Houghton was not held by the police, as witnesses stated the child ran from the sidewalk into the car as it passed.

A pathetic feature of the accident was that the child's mother was at the hospital, visiting another son, who yesterday was operated upon, when this second child was brought in, with a fractured skull. When she recognized him she nearly collapsed.

VETERANS START DRIVE FOR NEW MEMBERS

Walker-Hogers post 662, Veterans of Foreign Wars, has started a drive for new members. Two new members were enrolled at Tuesday evening's regular post meeting. The commander, David F. Cadden, is going to announce the program which will aid in the new membership campaign. Circular letters are to be employed.

Quartermaster Pingree has asked post members to pay their dues promptly. Patriotic Instructor Whitely reports that plans for the holding of patriotic entertainment in grand patriotic entertainment on Feb. 1, are in the present, on Feb. 1, are in the present.

Postings have been issued by Post 662 to the people of Lowell to beware of the ex-service men, who are making the city rounds appealing for aid. The city officials are declared to be the worst of the work they can show proper to the veterans.

Post 662 has been considered several active bills affecting ex-service men. Action has been taken on several bills.

Patriotic Instructor Whitely has been appointed chairman of the new 14-clause amendment committee, which will be throughout the present year.

SLIGHT INCREASES IN WEEKLY EARNINGS

(Special to The Sun.)

BOSTON, Jan. 24.—Slight increases in average weekly earnings, and decreases in the number of persons employed, comparing a November, December and January, are indicated by data furnished by the state department of labor and industries, and made public today.

In accordance with its usual practice, the department collects from identified establishments payroll data for a payroll week in each of the months, in each case using the week ending nearest the 15th.

The establishments included in the 81, representing all of the important industries, and employing about one-third of the average number of workers in the state.

In the December week, these establishments employed a total of 210,000 persons, paying them an aggregate of \$5,747,519, an average wage of \$24.15. In the November week, employees numbered 215,543, wages amounted to \$5,150,560, an average of \$23.91 per person.

The following changes, therefore, took place during the month: A decrease of 4,886, or 2.3 per cent, in the number of employees; a decrease of \$596,959, or less than one-half of one per cent, in the aggregate payroll; and an increase of 14 cents, or 2.3 per cent, in the average weekly earnings per person.

There were decreases in the number of employees in 25 of the 81 industries included; increases in nine and no change in one. Average weekly earnings increased in 24 industries and decreased in 11.

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SPECIAL CAR CHARTERED

Lowell Elks Will Go to Woburn to Join in Reception to Michael McCarron

With a special trolley chartered and a full quota of passengers guaranteed, next Monday night for the "homecoming" at Woburn of Michael J. McCarron, past exalted ruler of Woburn lodge and district deputy grand exalted ruler for the jurisdiction of Massachusetts northeast.

Past District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler John P. Farley, I.R.E., of Lowell lodge No. 2, and Exalted Ruler W. Edward Farrahall, with chair officers and grand lodge members, will head the Lowell delegation. Probably 300 or more Elks will make the visitation. Many auto parties are now being made up among members, while Jovial Joe Gilley has charge of the trolley reservations.

District Deputy McCarron, who recently paid his official visit to this lodge, is highly popular with Lowell Elks. Delegations varying in size from a score to nearly a hundred persons, all members of No. 2, have attended most of his visitations in the district. Upon the occasion of his official visit here earlier in the month, the Middle street hall was unable to accommodate over half the great throng that turned out to greet him.

Woburn lodge has arranged a reception that will be recorded in the annals of Massachusetts Elksdom as one of the greatest affairs of all time. President Joseph F. Francis, Jr., of the Massachusetts State Elks association, Joseph N. Shurt, editor of the Eastern Elks' Journal, James R. Nicholson, past exalted ruler, and other honored dignitaries of the east are expected to attend.

Mr. McCarron has made an enviable record in Elksdom and is looked to for even greater things. With the national convention of the order to be held in the city of Boston next year it is felt that all sides that he will bear watching as a prospective appointee to some higher office.

Another matter that is occupying the minds of members of Lowell lodge is the state association banquet at the Conkey-Plaza which is to be coupled with a reception to the present grand exalted ruler, James E. Lowmley, exalted leading knight of Lowell lodge, has charge of local phases of the affair and ticket and table reservations by Lowell Elks are being made by through him. Fair testimony will be out in numbers for this dinner, to be followed by dancing until after midnight, and which promises to be one of the most colorful social events of 1924.

FRATERNAL NEWS

The joint committee of Knights of Pythias of this city met last night to discuss the plan for the diamond jubilee of the order. P. C. Elmer D. Robinson of Chevalier-Middlesex lodge was elected chairman and it was voted to celebrate the jubilee in Liberty hall, Wednesday evening, Feb. 20. Tentative plans for the event call for the K. of P. flag ceremony, an address by K. of P. flag ceremony, an address by some prominent speaker, and general dancing. The banquet and general dancing. The banquet and general dancing. The banquet and general dancing.

The committee consists of the following: Wages lodge, Charles H. Pearson, Frank A. Whitely, and Allison P. Chadwick; Samuel and William P. Harmon and Edward T. Williams; Lowell lodge, Charles J. Kimball, George J. Frost, Samuel J. Jones; Chevalier-Middlesex lodge, Elmer D. Robinson, Herbert Pilling and John A. Lamberton.

Officers for 1924 were installed at the meeting of Chevalier Temple, P.S., Tuesday evening as follows: M.E.C., Eleanor Arnold; C.S., Lillian Jolley; E.C., Mary Stanhope; manager, Myrtle Leonard; treasurer, Mary Bowles; M. of E., Thel Dixon; M. of R. and C., Bernice Jones; past chief, Ruth Bachelder; grand chief, Emily Porter; trustees, M. Paul, chairman, Emily Porter; representative to grand lodge, Mary Bayer; alternate, Janet Johnson; secretary, John Barrett; press officer, Ruth Barrett.

At the installation a supper was served by Mary Renner, Alvin Kimball and Annie Barrett.

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HIGHLAND CHURCH BUSINESS MEETING

The annual business meeting of the Highland Congregational church was held last evening, presided by a supporter for the members of the church. The meeting was held in the church. The meeting was held in the church. The meeting was held in the church.

ROBBED BY GUNMEN

Boston Taxi Man Then Ordered to Drive to Pawtucket

BOSTON, Jan. 24.—A forced journey at pistol point from Norwood to Pawtucket, R. I., was the experience last night of Baldwin Rasmuth, a taxi cab chauffeur, he told his comrades today on his return from Pawtucket. Two armed men held him up and robbed him, Rasmuth said, and then pressed him into service as their driver. He declared he was threatened with instant death should he stop or call a policeman.

JOLLY GIRLS CLUB

The Jolly Girls club held its meeting last evening at the home of Mrs. C. Lane, 176 Liberty street. Following the business meeting the members enjoyed a radio concert. A musical program in which Miss Helen Kirk, Lilla Jolley and Frances Chisholm participated was also enjoyed. Miss Winnie Scott entertained with a reading. Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Miss Ellen Armitage and Miss Julia Lane.

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